

Neutrino Observatories

outline

1. Introduction
2. High-energy astrophysical neutrinos
3. Particle physics with high-energy neutrinos
4. Future
5. Conclusion

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UK HEP Forum, Cosener's house, Abingdon, Nov. 22, 2022



1. Introductions

2. High-energy astrophysical neutrinos

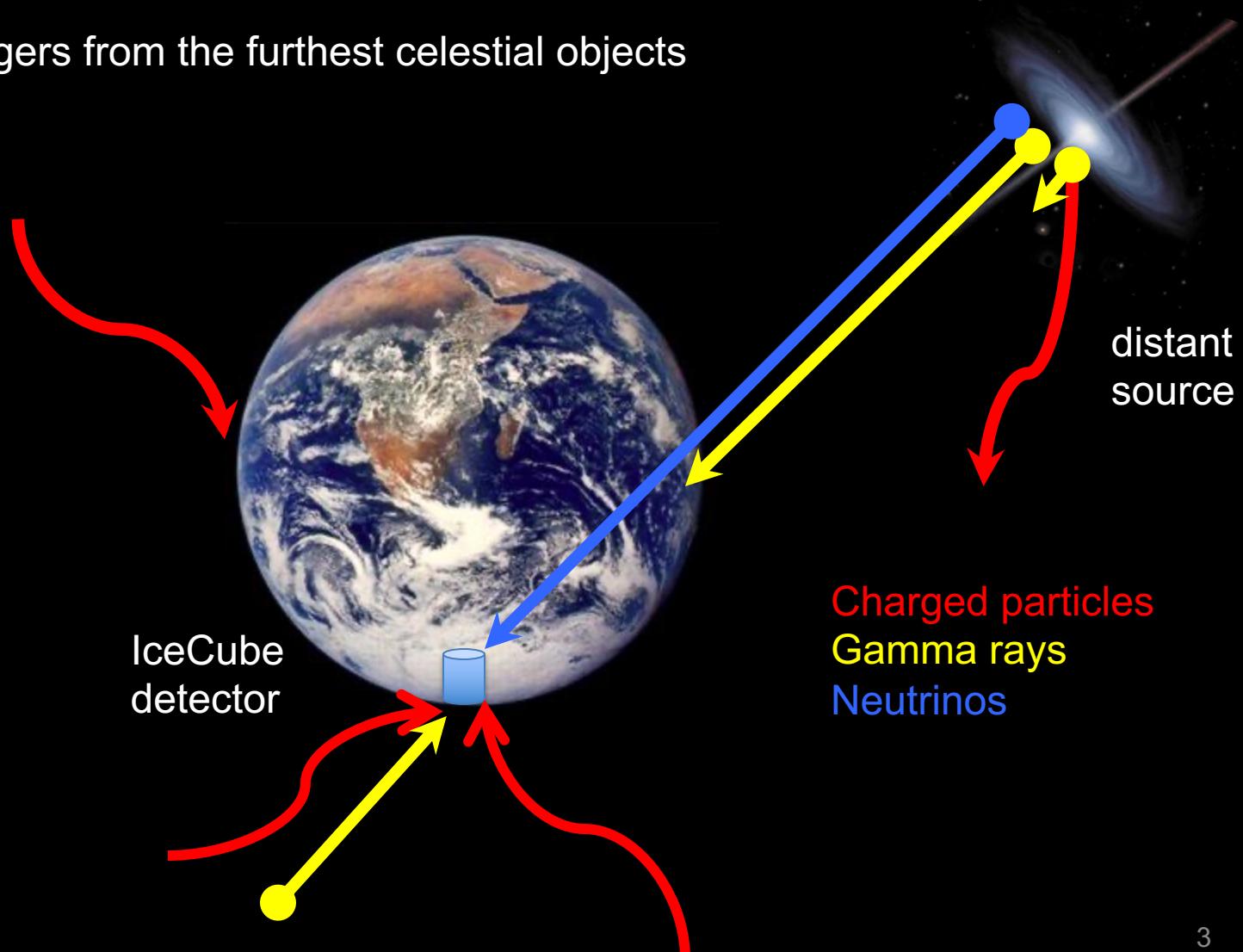
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1. High-Energy Astrophysical Neutrinos

Direct messengers from the furthest celestial objects



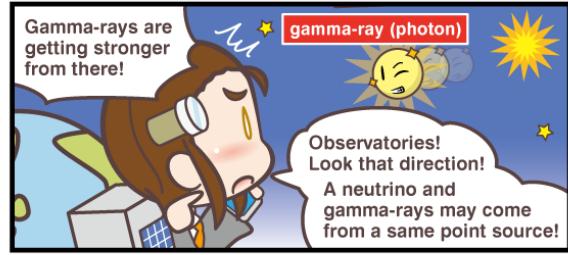
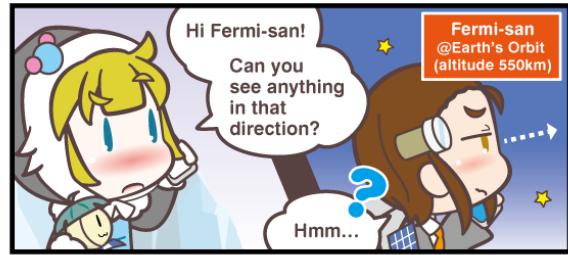
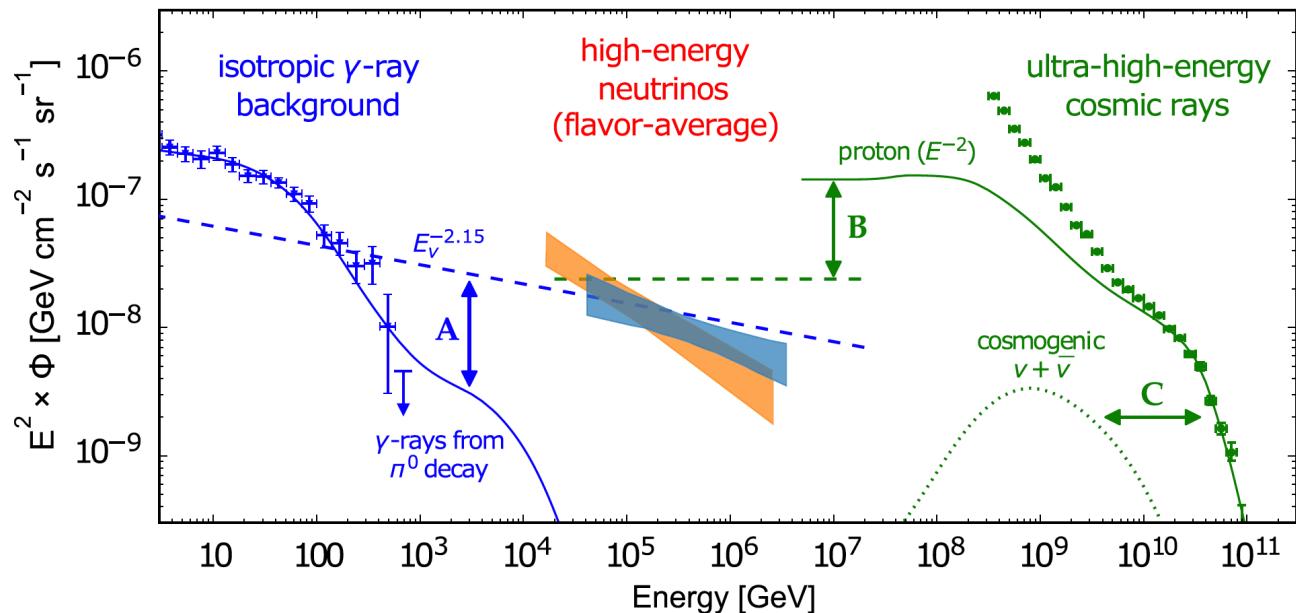
1. Multi-messenger astronomy

High-energy protons, gamma rays, and neutrinos are all related

$$p + p \rightarrow X + \pi$$

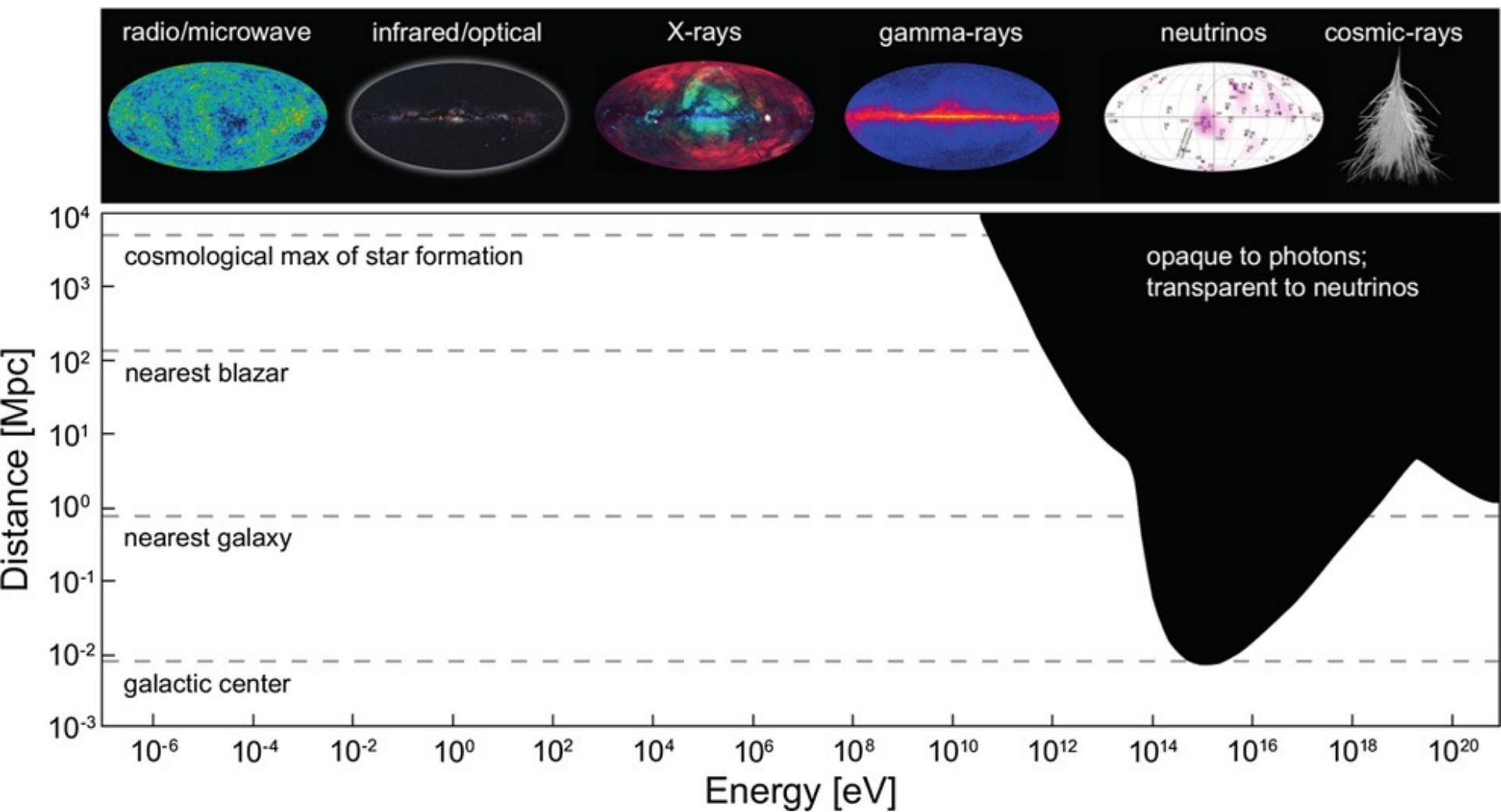
$$p + \gamma \rightarrow X + \pi$$

$$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \pi^0 \rightarrow \gamma\gamma \\ \pi^+ \rightarrow \mu^+ + \nu_\mu \\ \mu^+ \rightarrow e^+ + \bar{\nu}_\mu + \nu_e \\ n \rightarrow p + e^- + \bar{\nu}_e \end{array} \right.$$



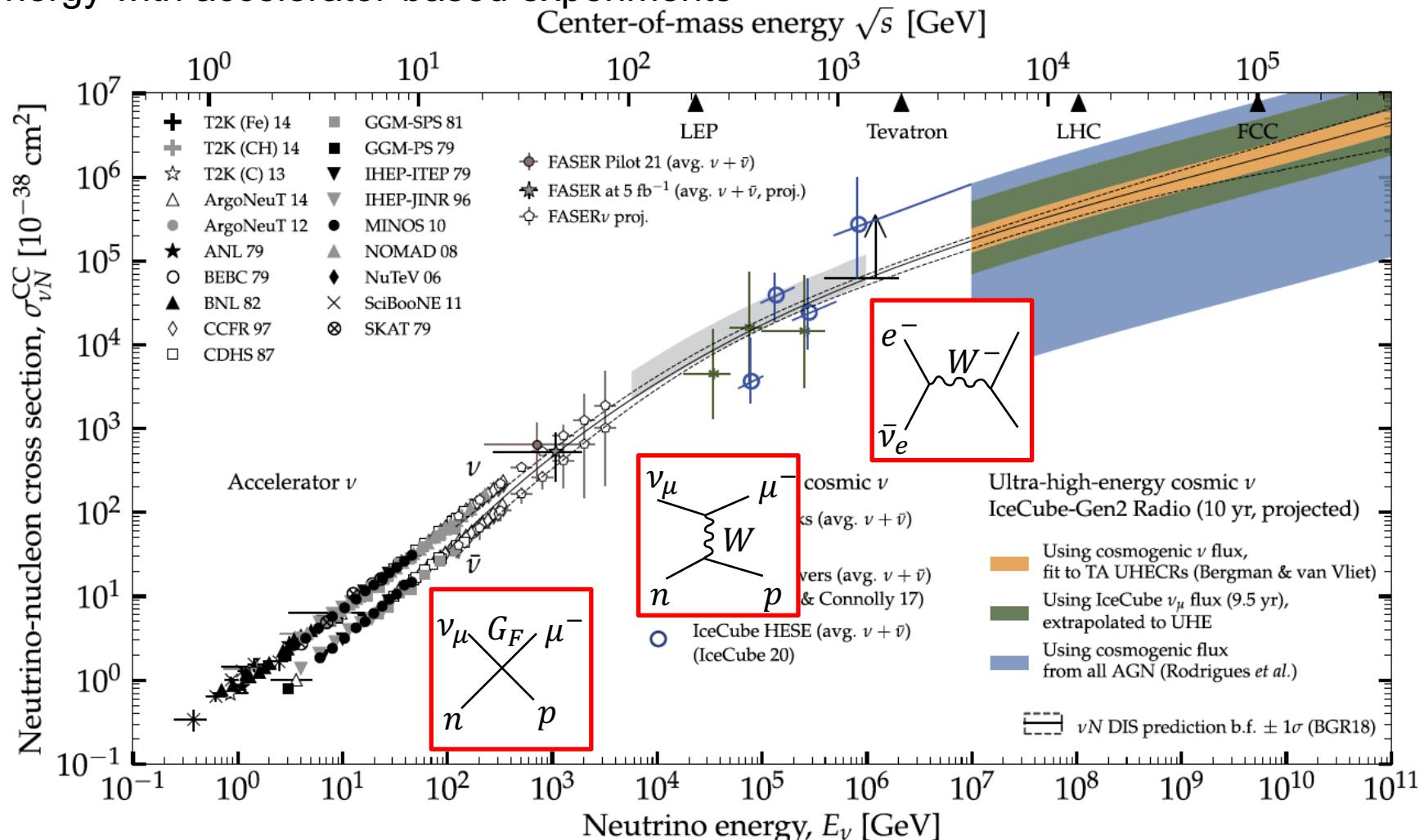
1. High-energy astrophysics

Above \sim 10-100 TeV neutrinos are only direct extra-galactic messengers



1. High-energy fixed target experiment

Synergy with accelerator-based experiments



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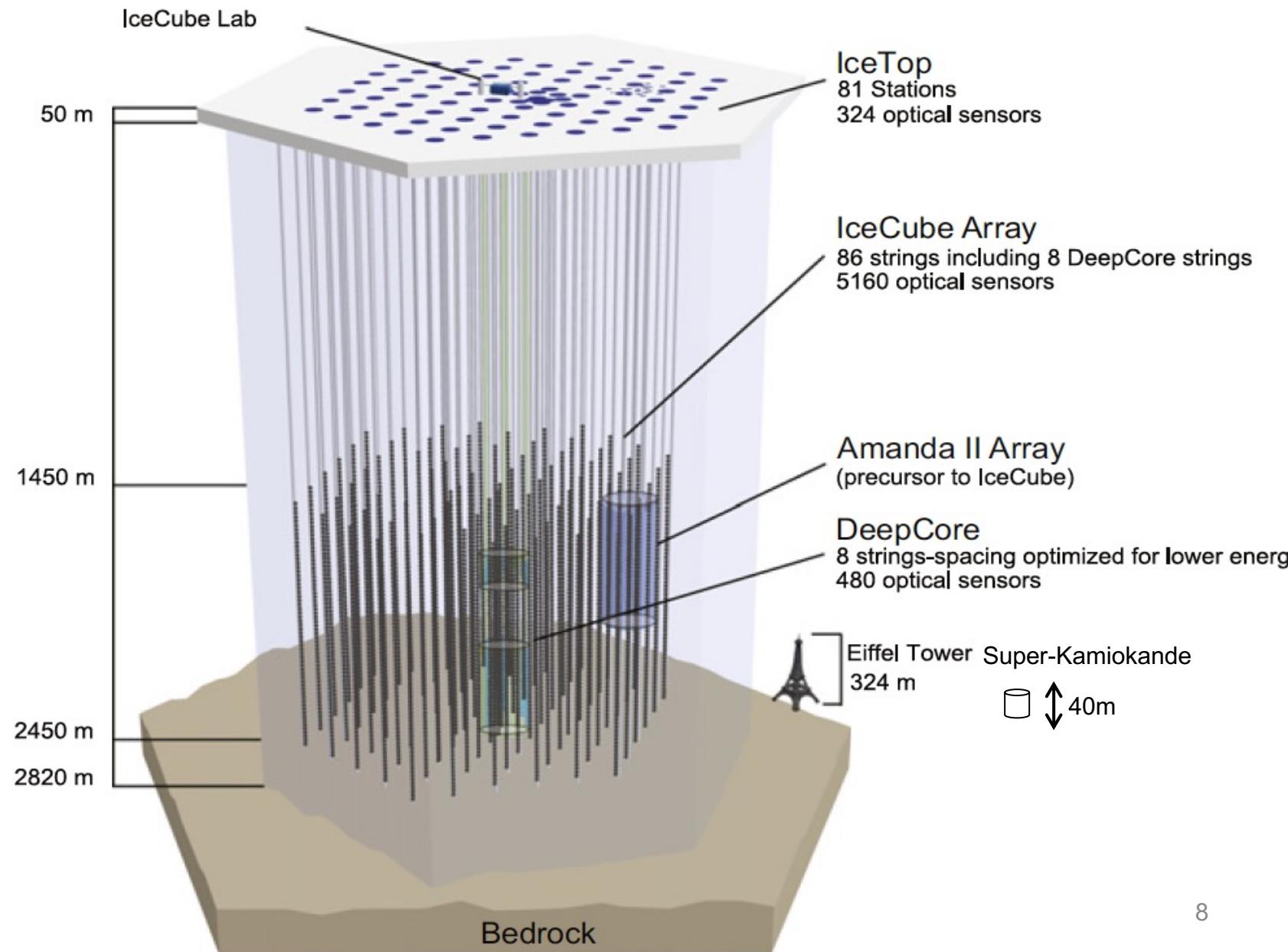
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2. IceCube detector



2. IceCube event morphology

Track
 ν_μ CC

$$\nu_\mu + N \rightarrow \mu + X$$

Cascade

ν_e CC, ν_τ CC, NC

$$\nu_e + N \rightarrow e + X$$

$$\nu_\tau + N \rightarrow \tau + X$$

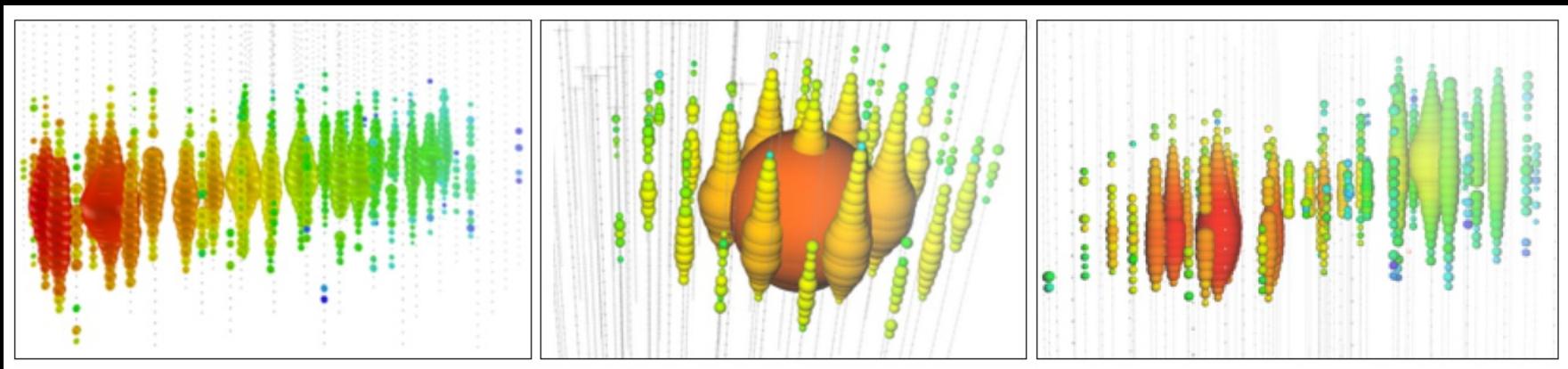
$$\nu_\chi + N \rightarrow \nu_\chi + X$$

Double cascade

ν_τ CC ($L \sim 50\text{m} \cdot E/\text{PeV}$)

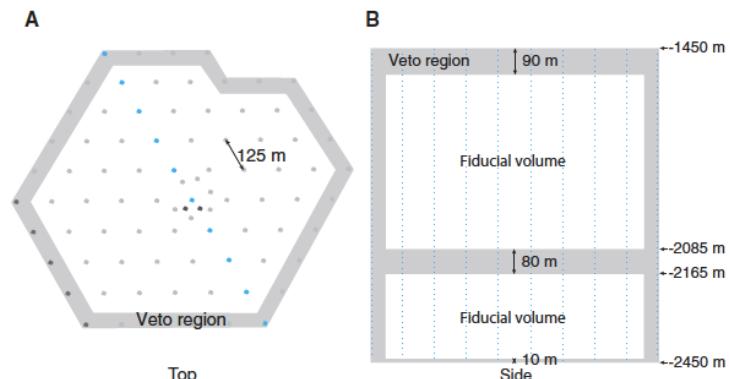
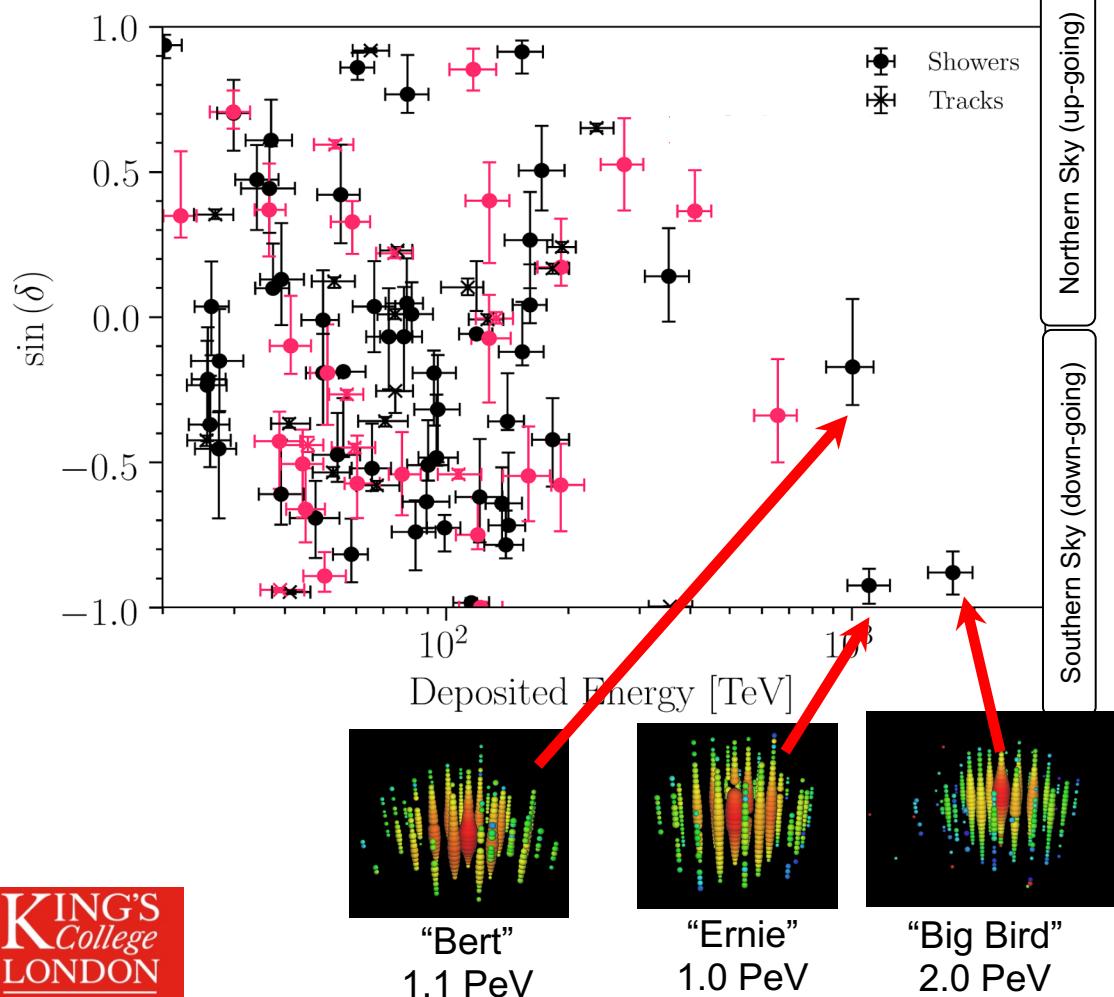
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$$\tau \rightarrow X'$$

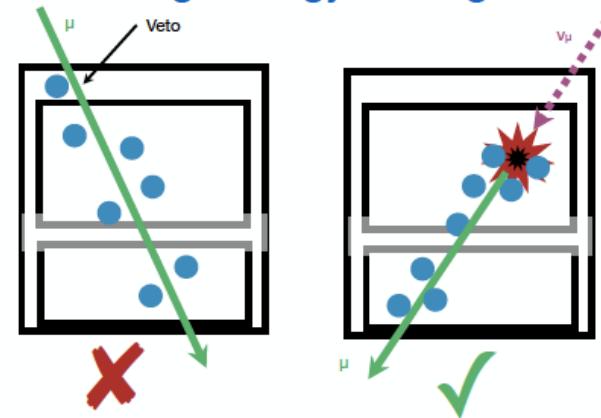


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First observation (2013)
- 60-2000 TeV neutrinos



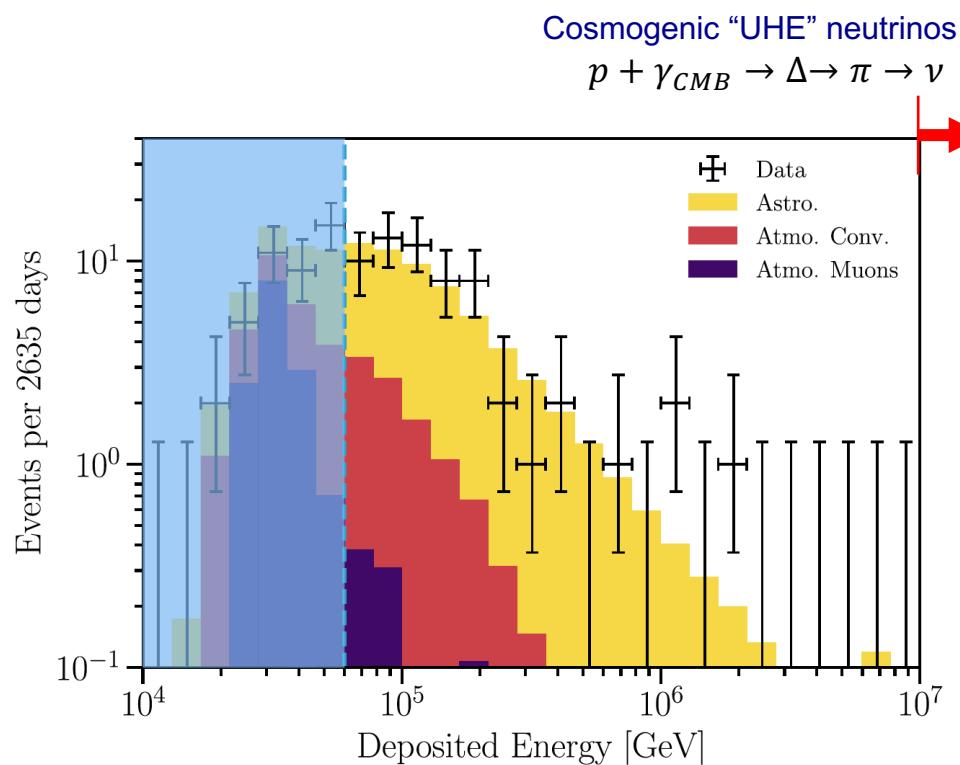
HESE: high energy starting events



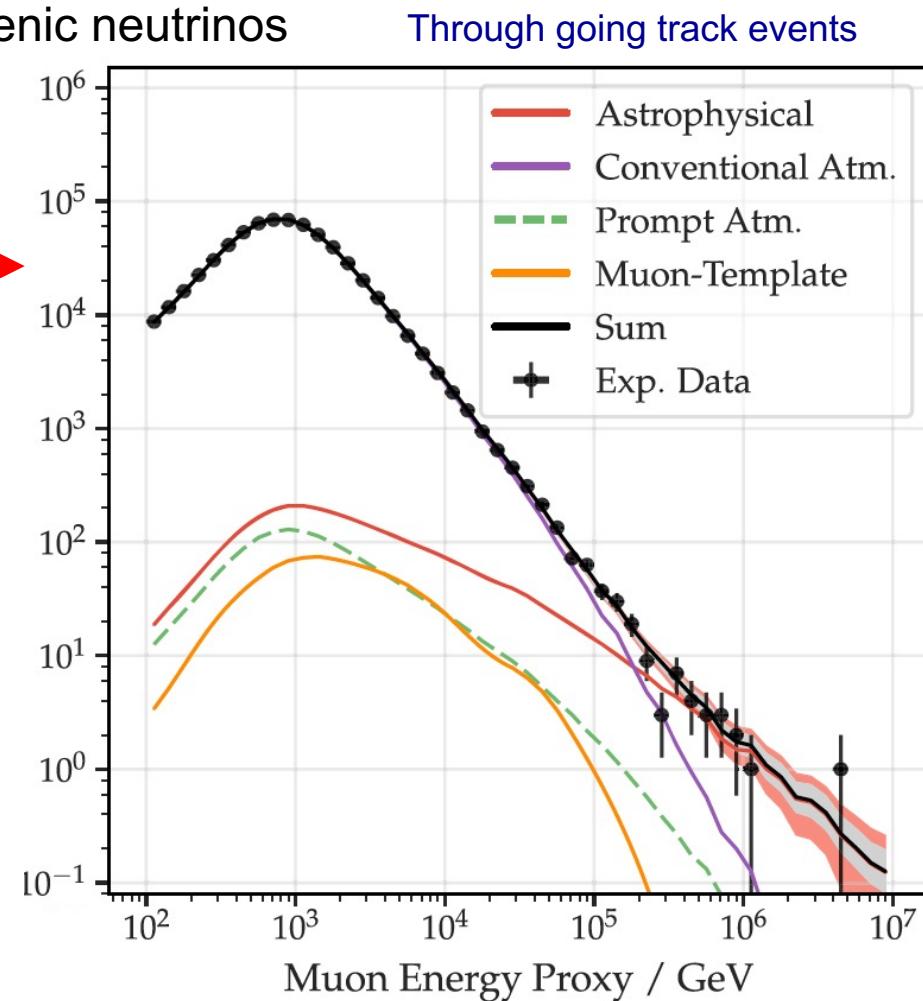
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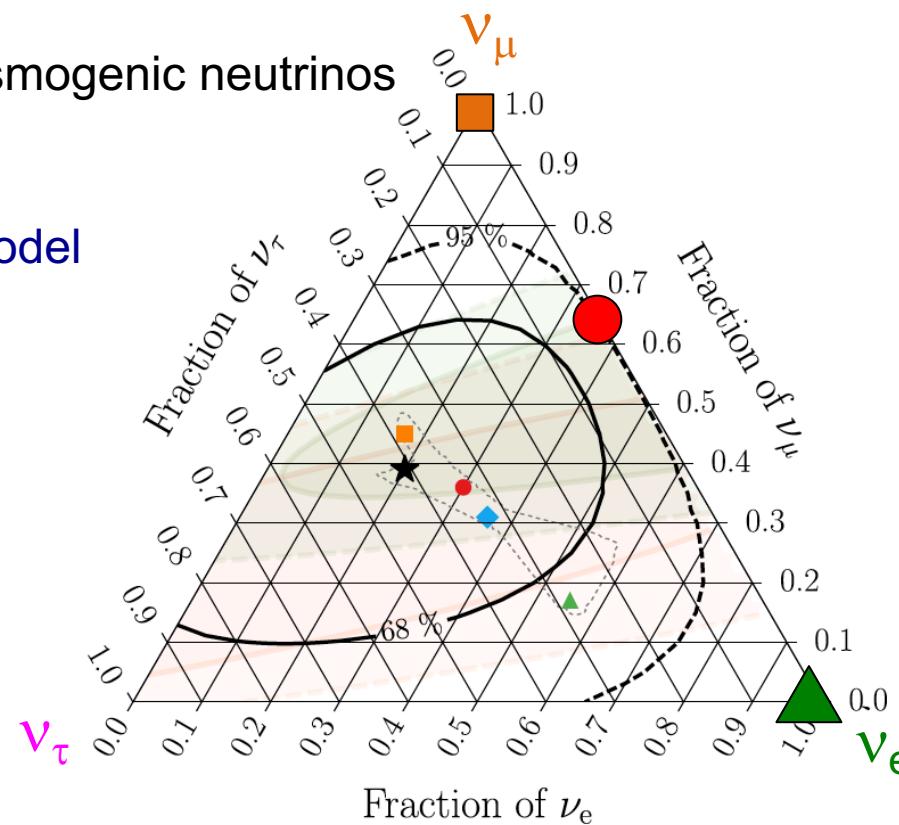
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Astrophysical neutrino production model

- $\nu_e : \nu_\mu : \nu_\tau \sim 1:2:0$
- After mixing, $\nu_e : \nu_\mu : \nu_\tau \sim 1:1:1$



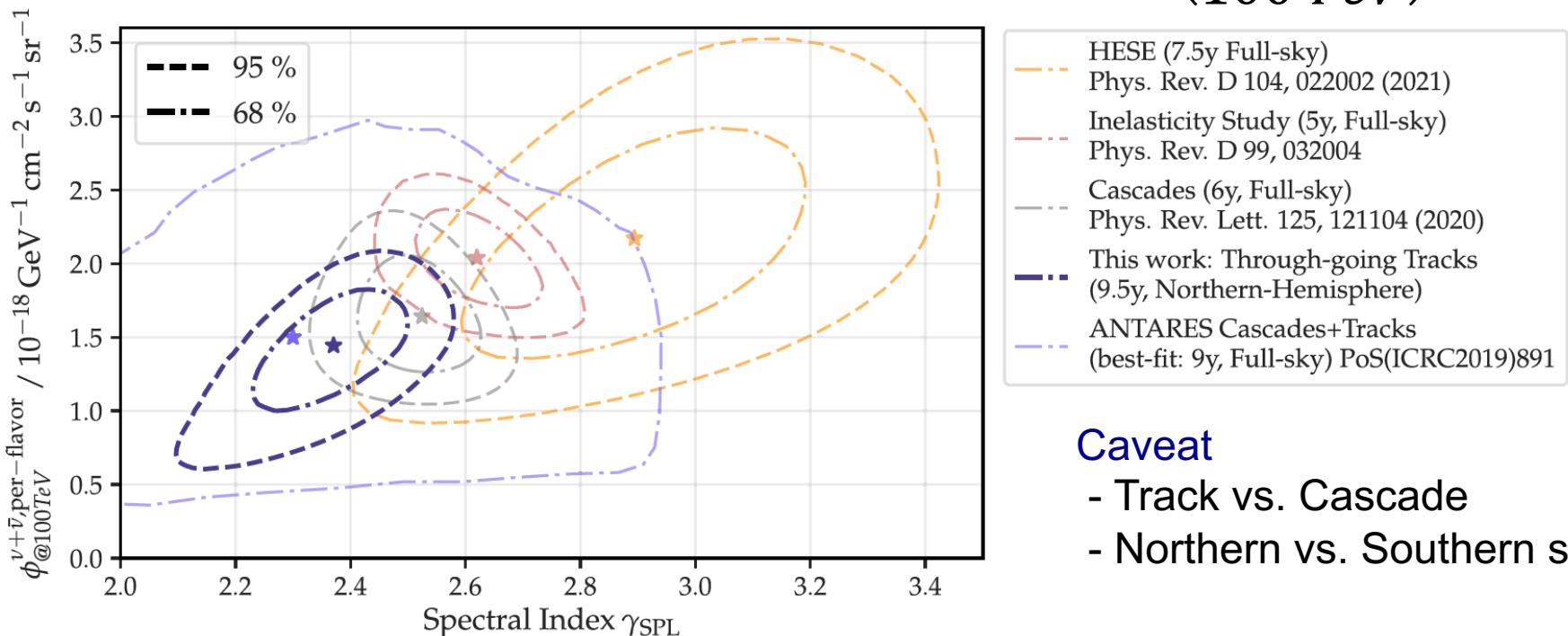
| HESE with ternary topology ID | | $\nu_e : \nu_\mu : \nu_\tau$ at source \rightarrow on Earth: |
|--------------------------------------|------------------------------|--|
| ★ | Best fit: 0.20 : 0.39 : 0.42 | 0:1:0 \rightarrow 0.17 : 0.45 : 0.37 |
| Global Fit (IceCube, APJ 2015) | | 1:2:0 \rightarrow 0.30 : 0.36 : 0.34 |
| Inelasticity (IceCube, PRD 2019) | | 1:0:0 \rightarrow 0.55 : 0.17 : 0.28 |
| 3nu-mixing 3 σ allowed region | | 1:1:0 \rightarrow 0.36 : 0.31 : 0.33 |

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$$\Phi_\nu \sim \phi_{SPL} \cdot \left(\frac{E_\nu}{100 \text{ TeV}} \right)^{-\gamma_{SPL}}$$



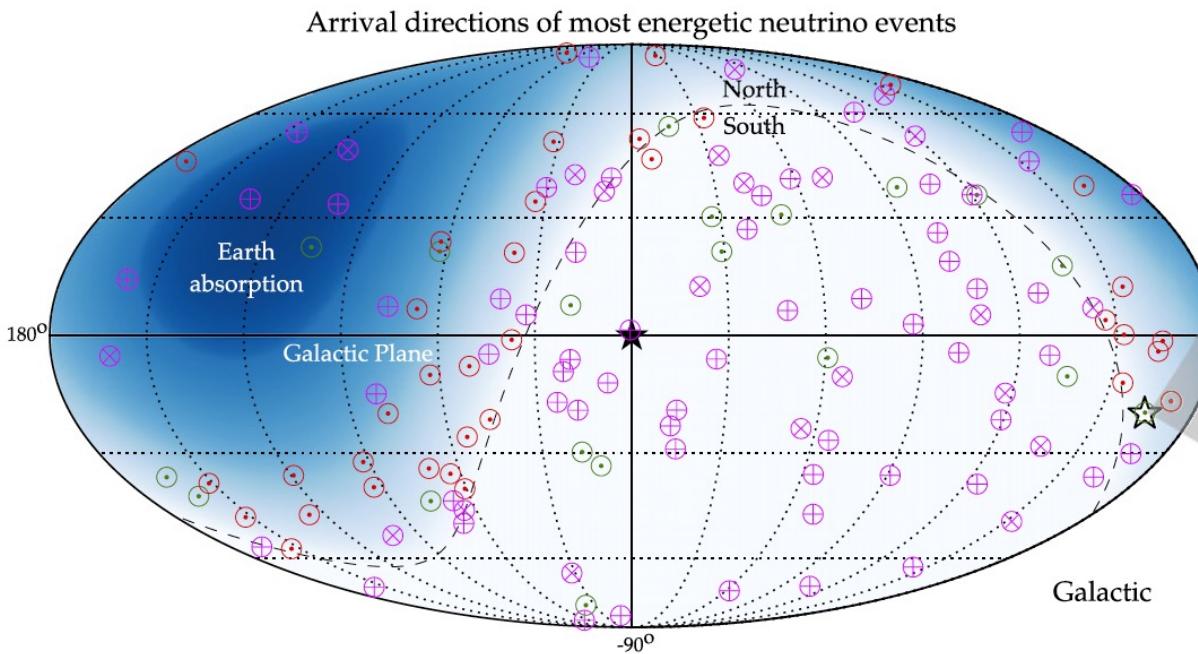
Caveat

- Track vs. Cascade
- Northern vs. Southern sky

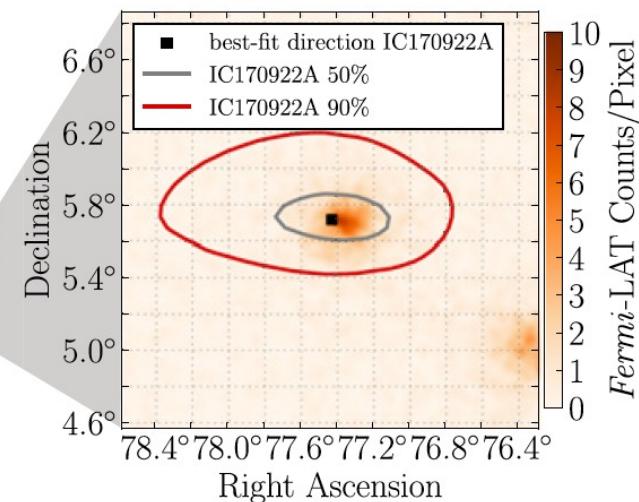
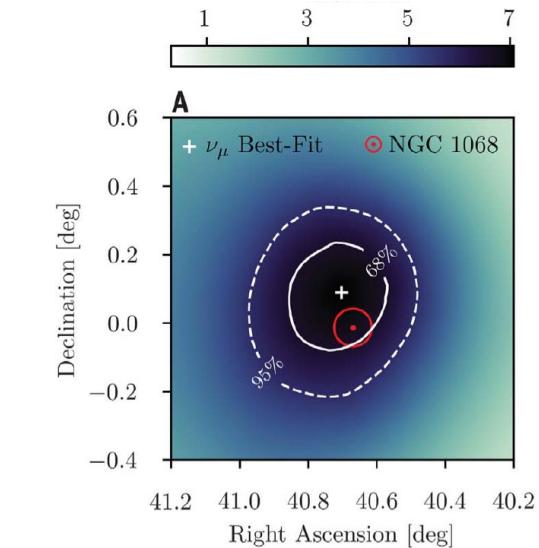
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- Sources are mostly unknown (diffuse)



NGC1068 (Radio galaxy)
- Point source



TXS 0506+056 (Blazar)
- Point source

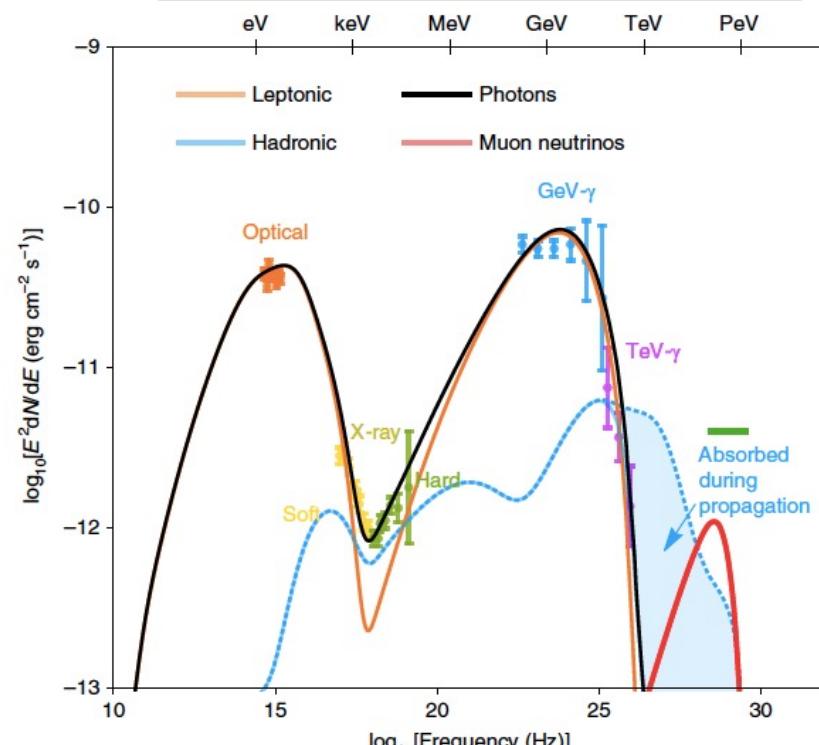
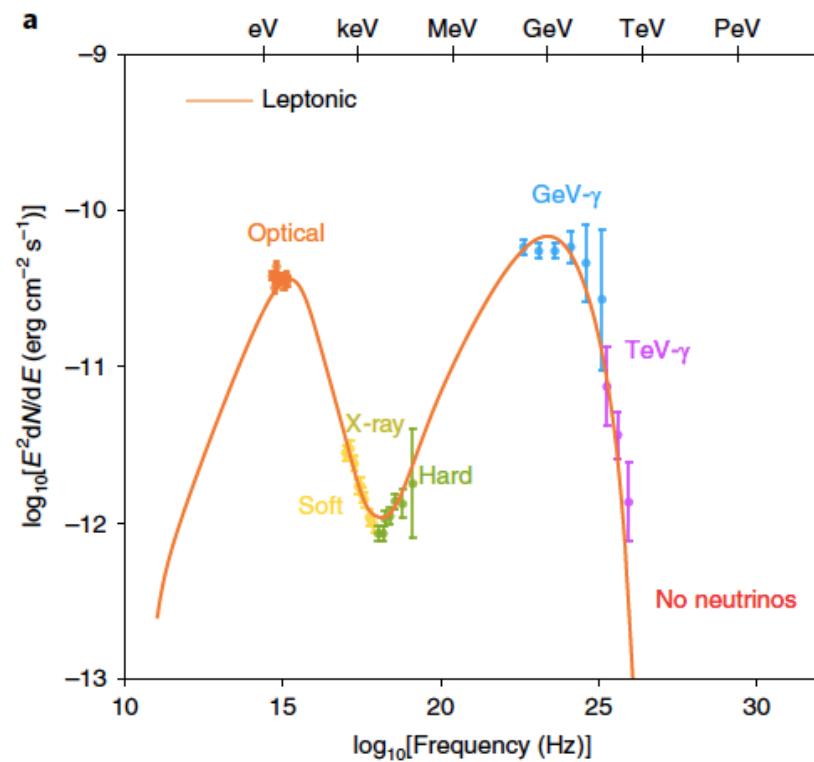
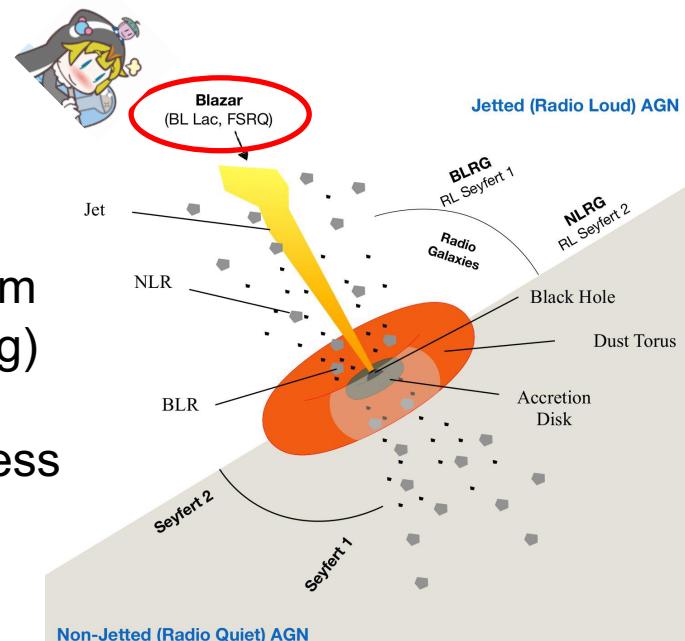
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TXS056+0506 (blazar)

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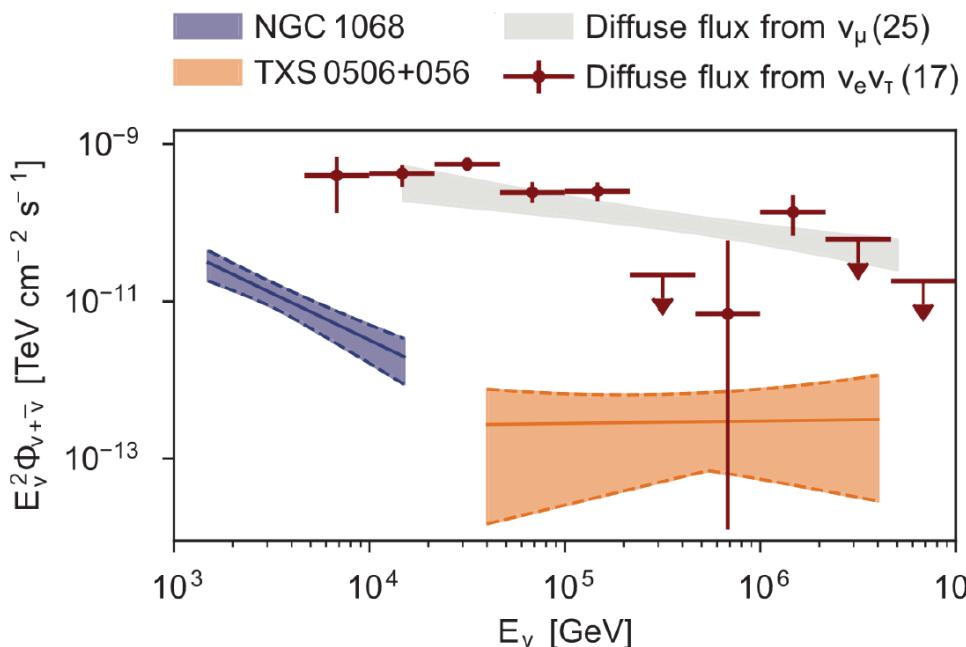
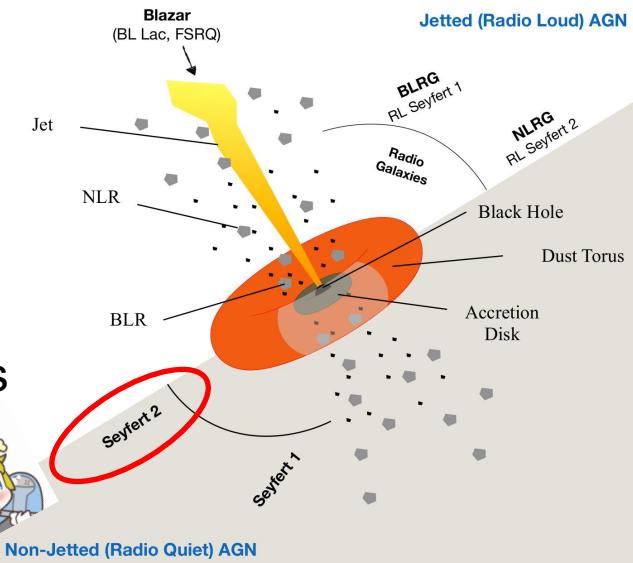
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NGC1068 (radio galaxy)

- Nearby AGN (14.4Mpc)
- 1.5 – 15 TeV with $\gamma \sim 3.2 \pm 0.2$

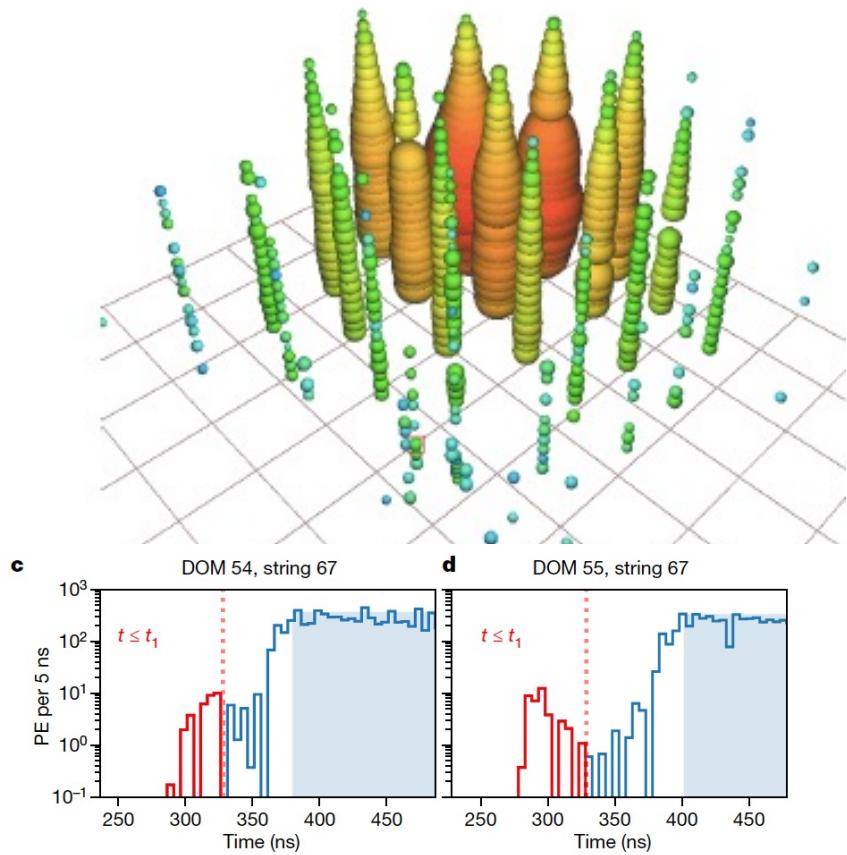
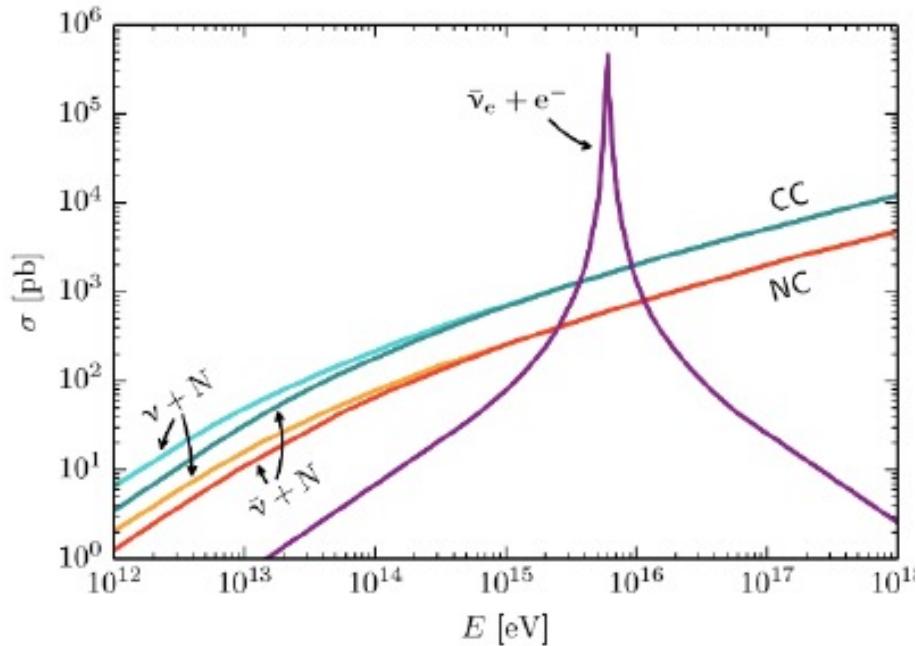
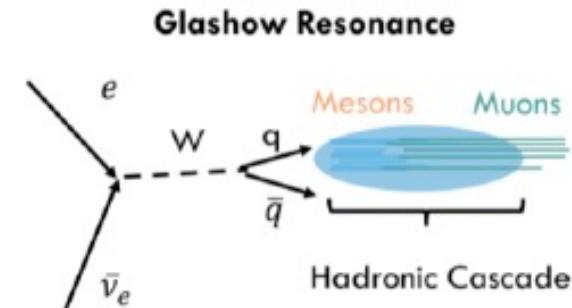
This suggests we may have more accessible high-energy astrophysical neutrino sources



2. Glashow resonance

Hydrangea

- Partially contained
- Detected muon from faster than Cherenkov cone
- 5.9 ± 0.2 PeV

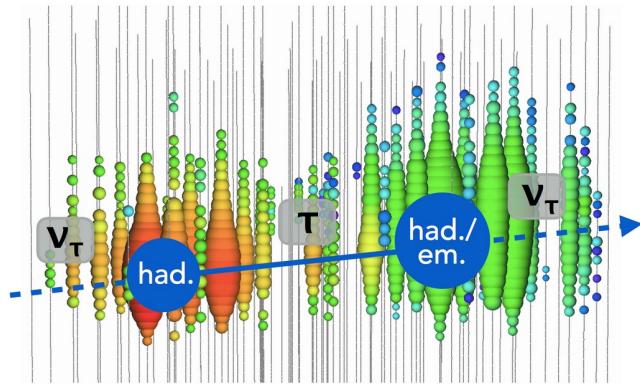
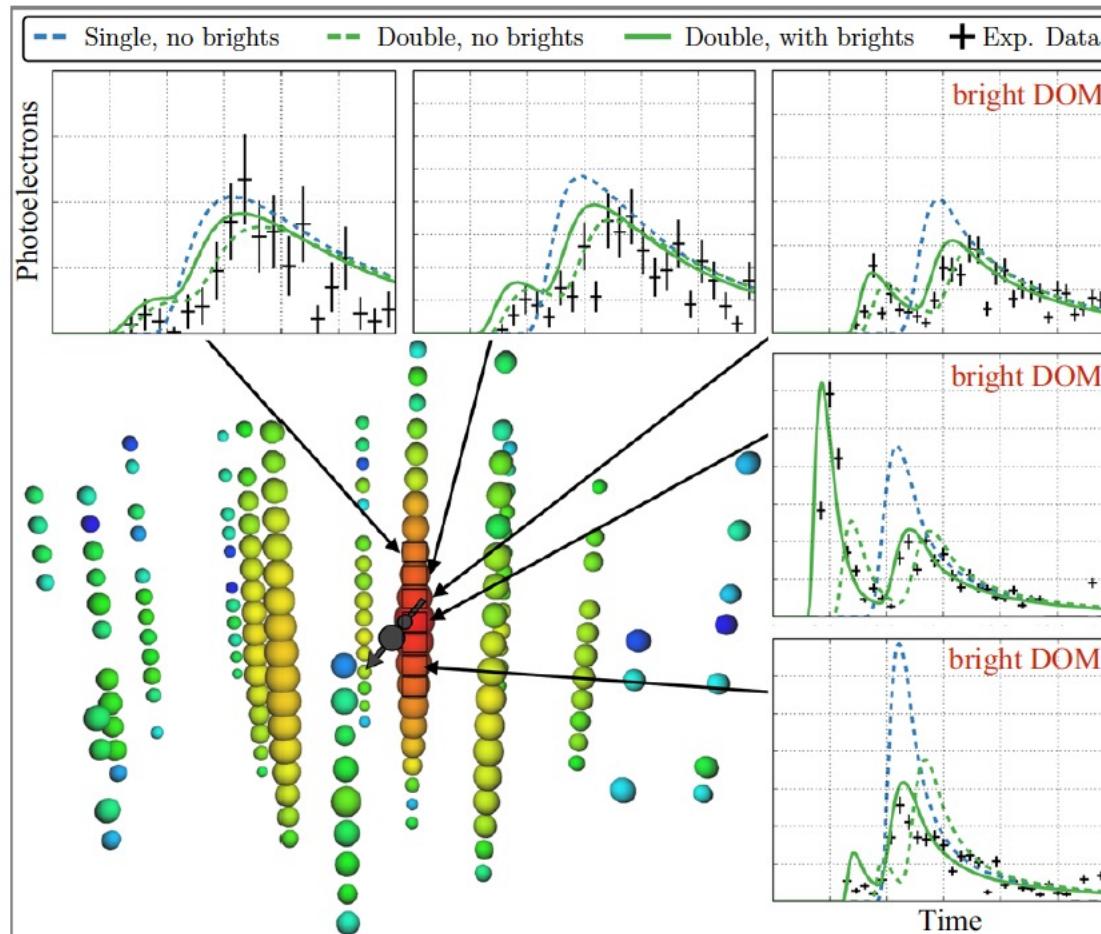


2. Astrophysical tau neutrinos

Double Double

- newly discovered tau neutrino candidate

“Double bang” is rare (~ 50 m xE/1PeV)



Double pulse can be found using timing information.

Improved tau PID algorithm is used for the flavour ratio

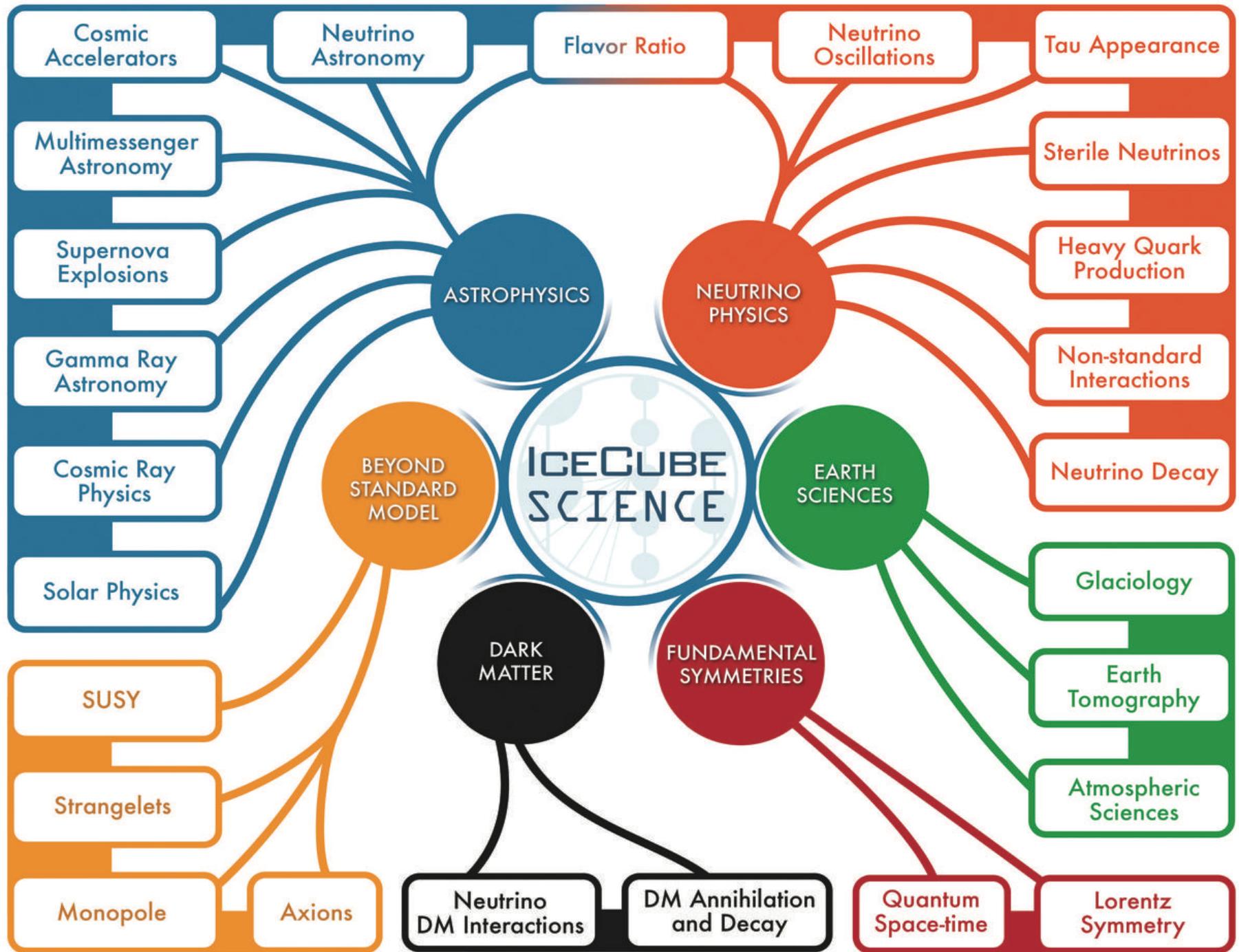
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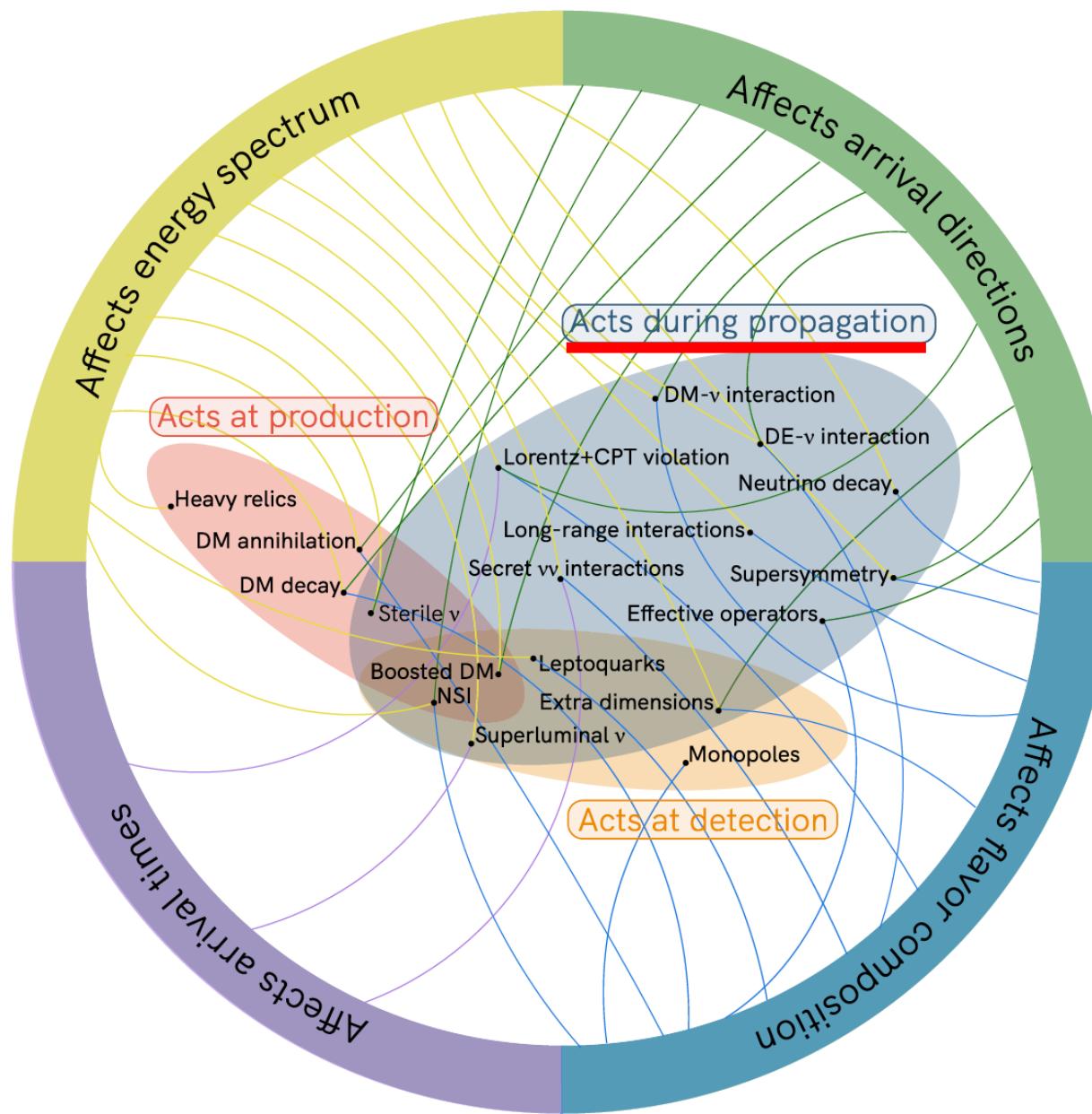
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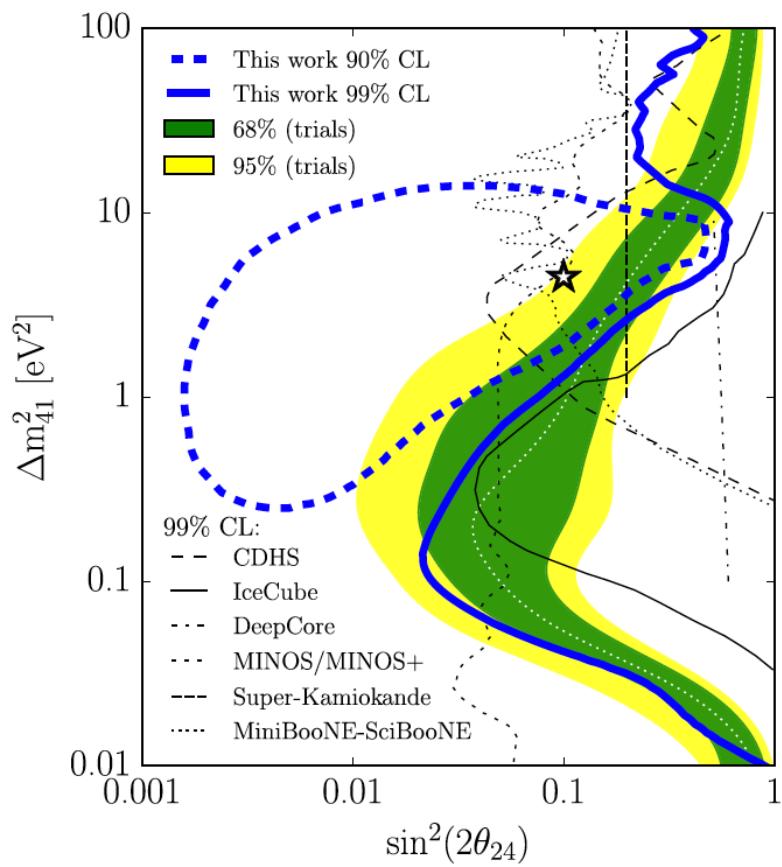
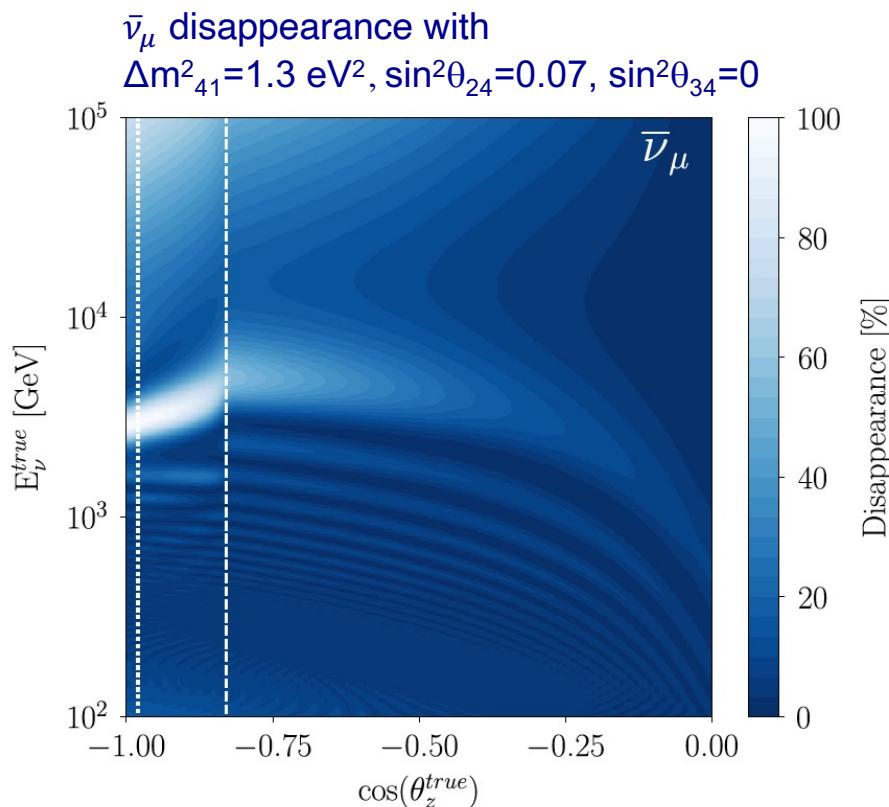
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1eV sterile neutrinos

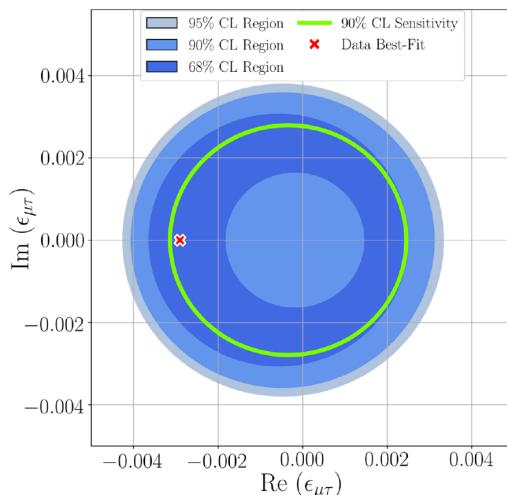
- MSW resonance around 1 TeV with 12700 km (earth diameter)
- All disappearance experiments (including IceCube) disfavour 1eV sterile neutrinos



3. High-energy atmospheric neutrinos

Non-standard interactions (NSIs)

- High energy (~ 20 TeV)
- Long baseline (~ 12700 m)



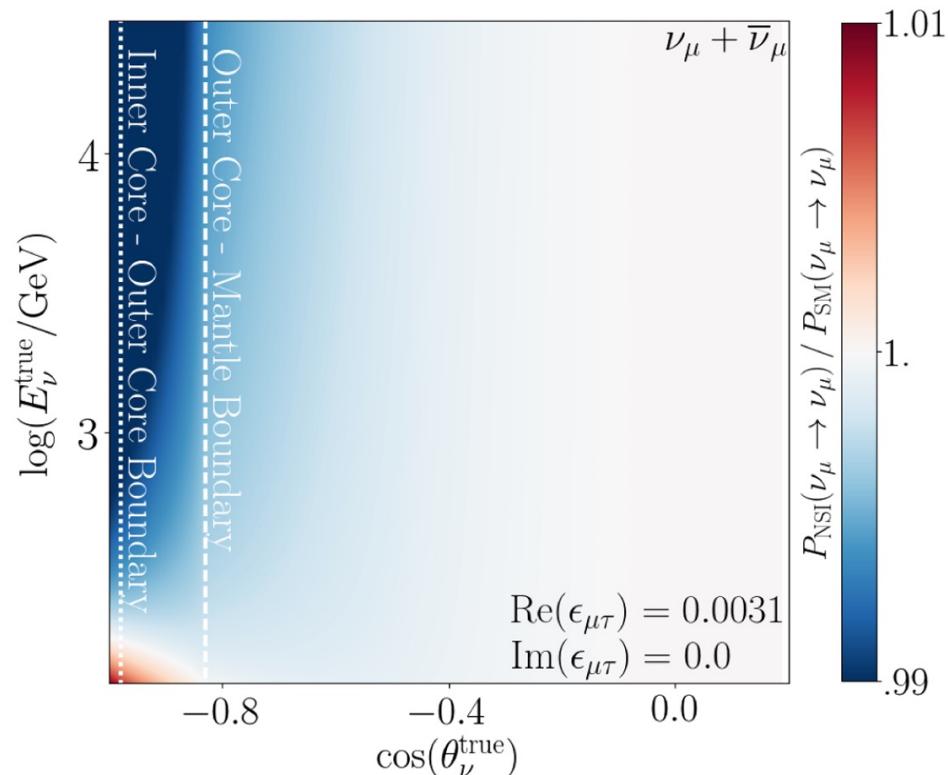
$\varepsilon \sim 0.003 \rightarrow \sim 10^{-25}$ GeV new physics

cf) The highest precision hydrogen 1S-2S transition (PRL107(2011)203001)

Fractional frequency uncertainty $\sim 4 \times 10^{-15}$
 \rightarrow new physics sensitivity $\sim 10^{-23}$ GeV

$$P \sim \sin^2 \left[\left(\frac{\Delta m^2}{2E} + \text{new physics} \right) \cdot L \right]$$

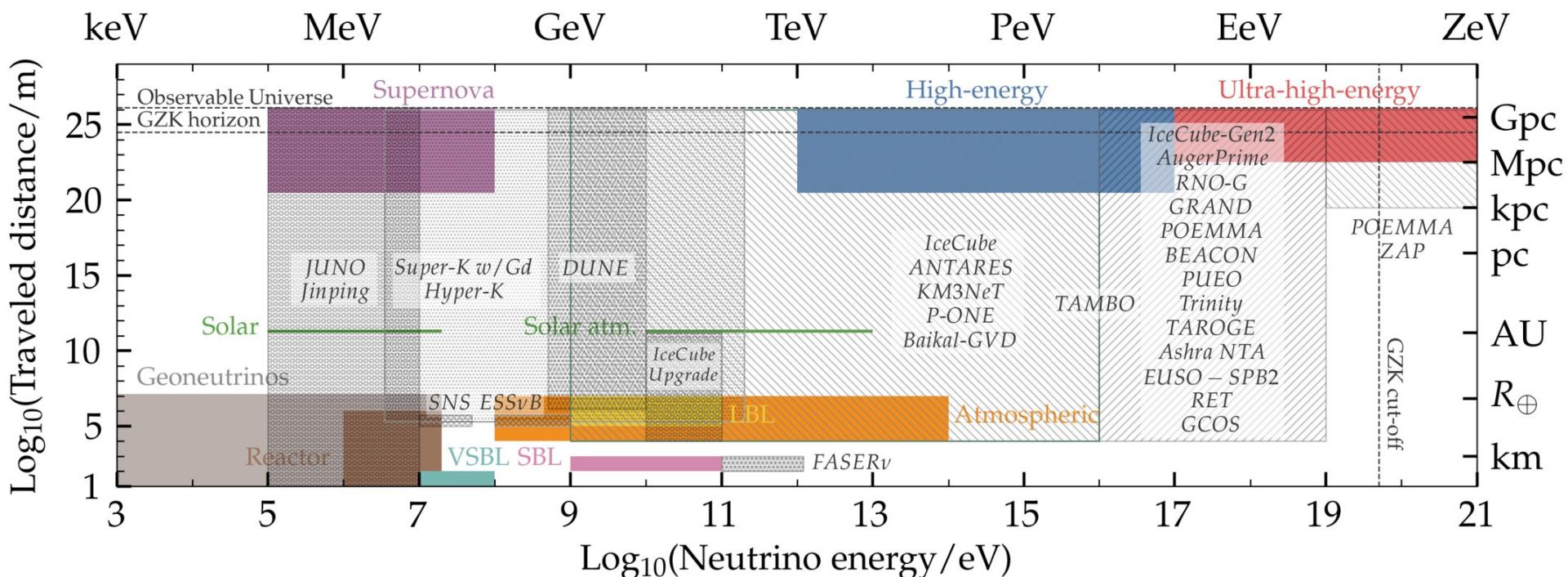
ν_μ disappearance with nonzero NSI
 $\text{Re}(\varepsilon_{\mu\tau}) = 0.0031, \text{Im}(\varepsilon_{\mu\tau}) = 0.0031$



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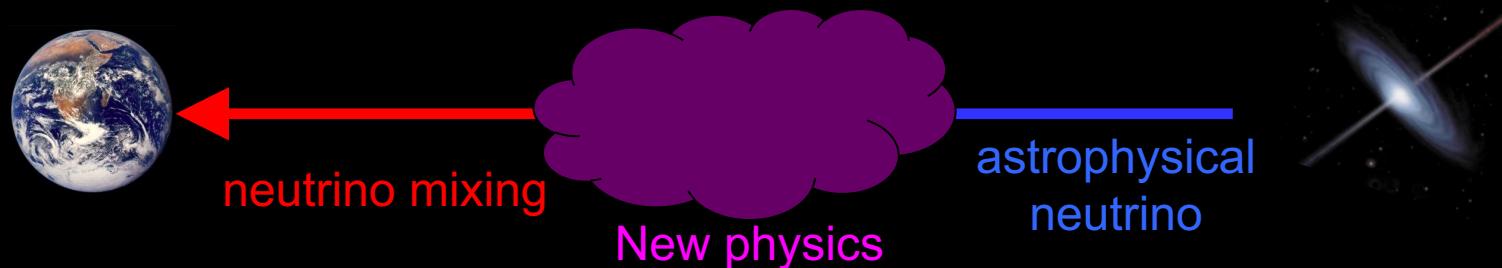
Astrophysical neutrino flavour physics

- High energy (\sim PeV)
- Long baseline (\sim Mpc)



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new long-range force
Bustamante, Agarwalla
PRL122(2019)061103

Cosmological electrons ($10^{79} e$)

Sun ($10^{57} e$)
Moon ($10^{49} e$)
Earth ($10^{51} e$)

Milky Way ($10^{67} e$)

Not to scale

ultra-light dark matter
dark energy
etc



neutrino mixing

Quantum foam
Ellis, Mavromatos, Nanopoulos PLB293(1992)37



New physics

Lorentz violating field
Argüelles, TK, Salvado, PRL115(2015)161303

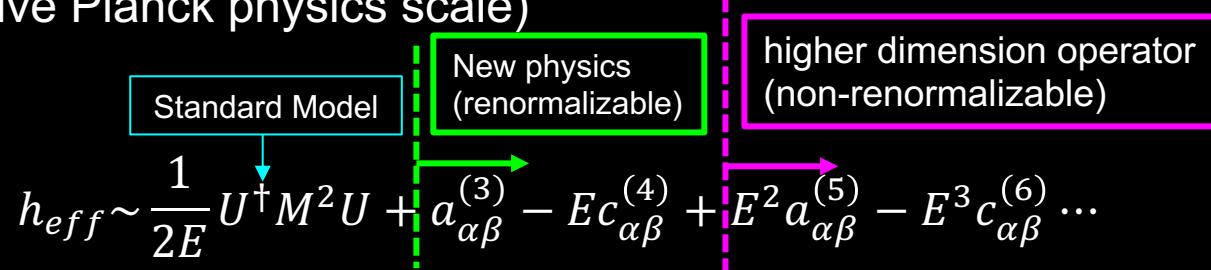


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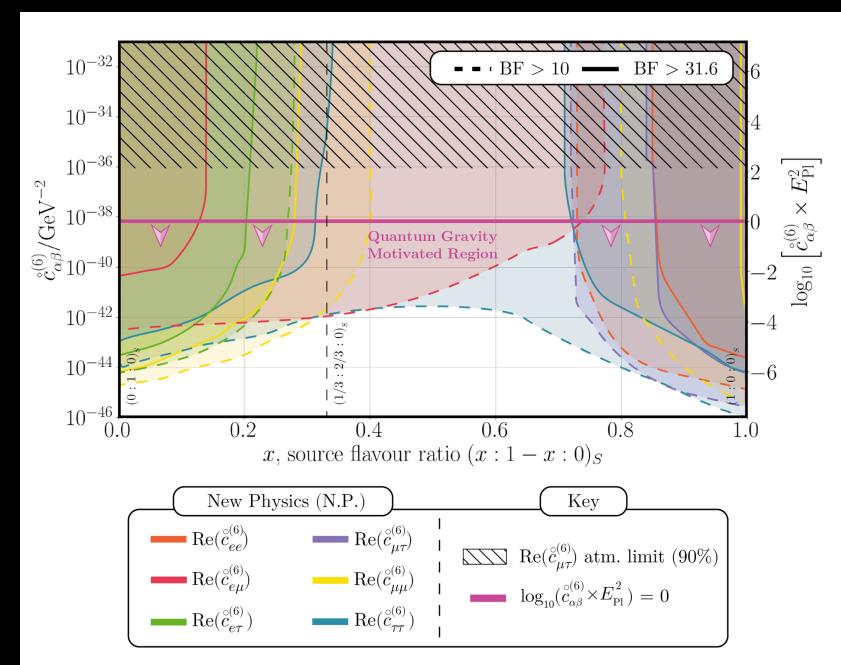
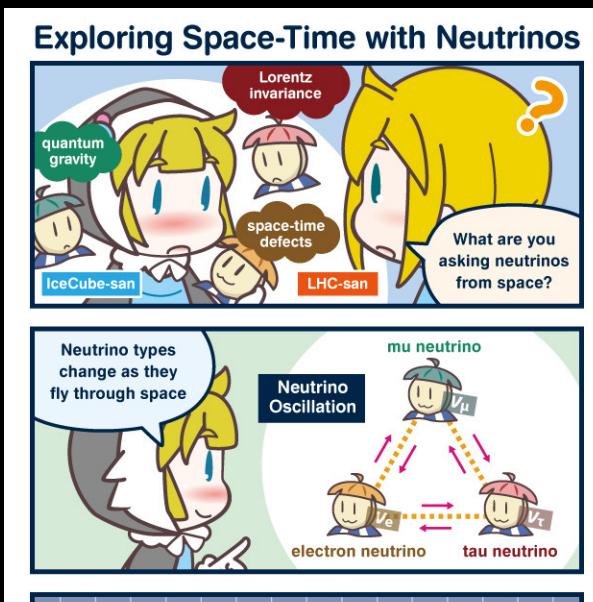
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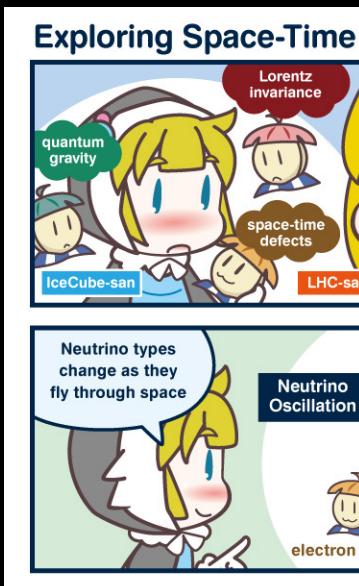
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Standards for

$$h_{eff} \sim \frac{1}{2E} L$$

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Sabine Hossenfelder @skdh · Oct 28

And guess what, they didn't find it.



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Searching for quantum gravity from under the ice

King's experimental physicist, Dr. Teppei Katori, is a lead analyst of data gathered by the IceCube Neutrino Observatory in the search for ...

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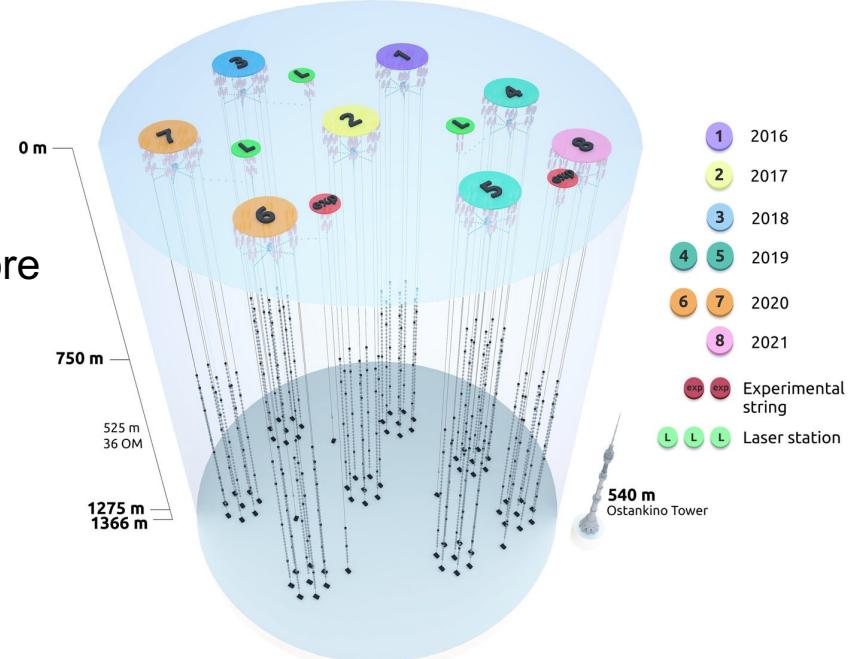
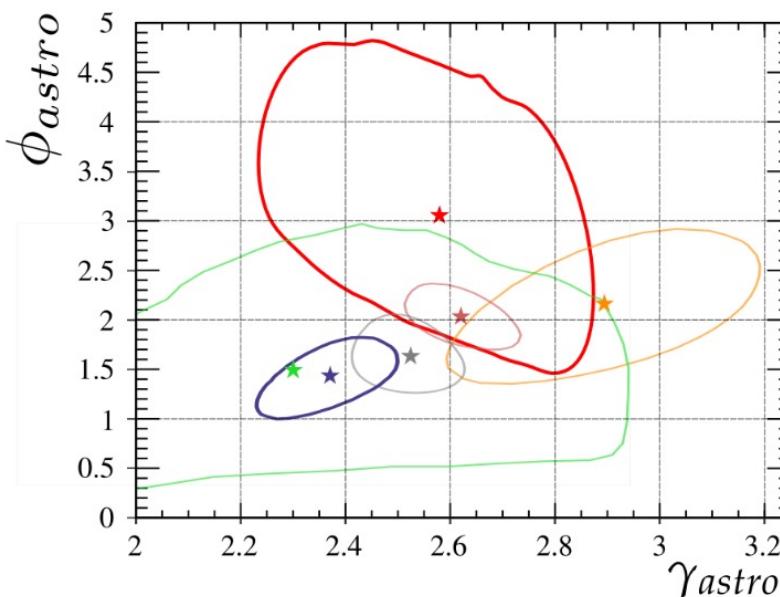
4. Baikal-GVD

GVD (Gigaton Volume Detector)

- Southern part of Lake Baikal, ~4km from the shore
- 1 cluster = 8 strings with 36 OMs per string
- 10 clusters (2022), ~250-300m separation
- Goal is 27 clusters to cover ~1.5 km³

Excess from astrophysical neutrinos (3σ)

- Upgoing cascade
- $\gamma \sim 2.6 \pm 0.3$



- Baikal-GVD (2018-2021, Upward-going)
this study, best fit
- IceCube HESE (7.5y, Full-sky)
Phys. Rev. D 104, 022002 (2021)
- IceCube Inelasticity Study (5y, Full-sky)
Phys. Rev. D 99, 032004 (2019)
- IceCube Cascades (6y, Full-sky)
Phys. Rev. Lett. 125, 121104 (2020)
- IceCube Tracks (9.5y, Northern Hemisphere),
The Astrophysical Journal 928, 50 (2022)
- ANTARES Cascades+Tracks (9y, Full-Sky)
PoS(ICRC2019) 891 (2020)



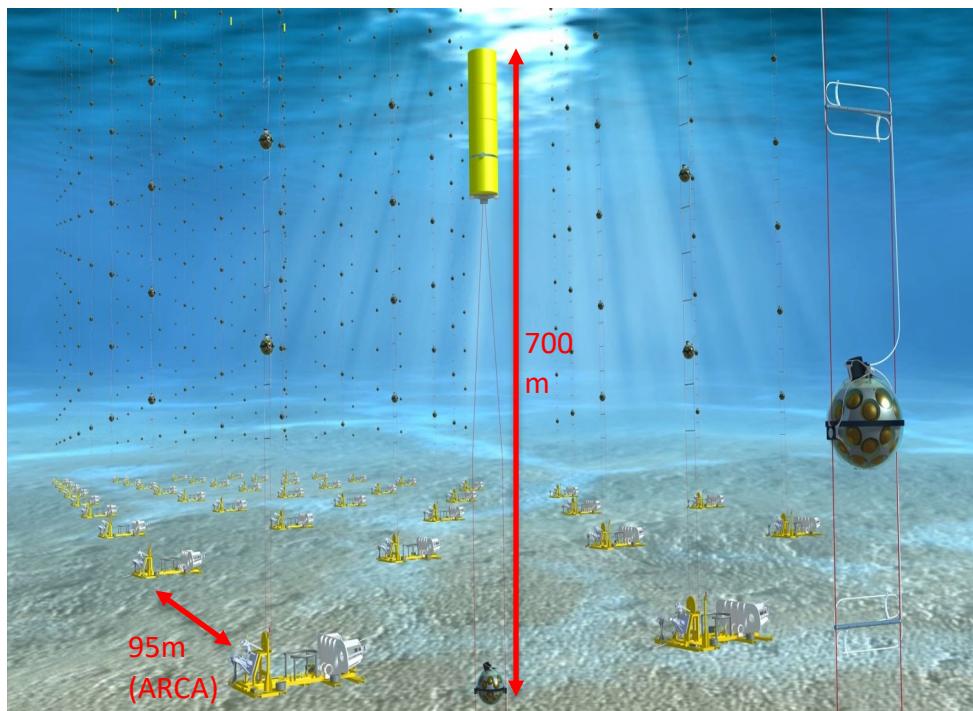
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Oscillation Research with Cosmics in the Abyss (ORCA), France

- low energy (<100 GeV), oscillation physics (~7 Mton)

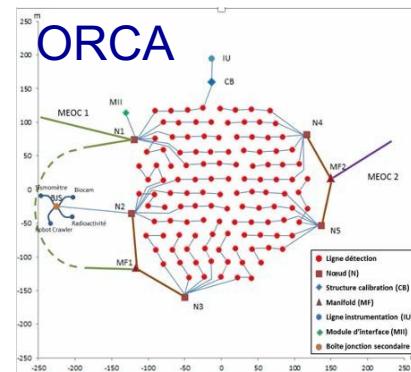
Astroparticle Research with Cosmics in the Abyss (ARCA), Italy

- high energy (>100 GeV), astrophysics (~1 Gton)



1 detector unit = 18 mDOMs

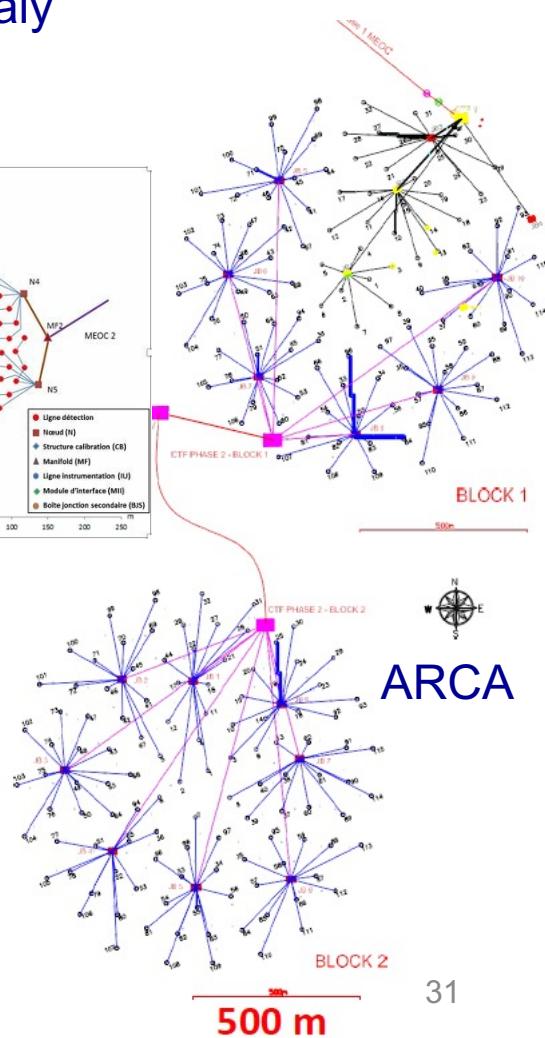
1 building block (0.5Mton) = 115 detector units



mDOM



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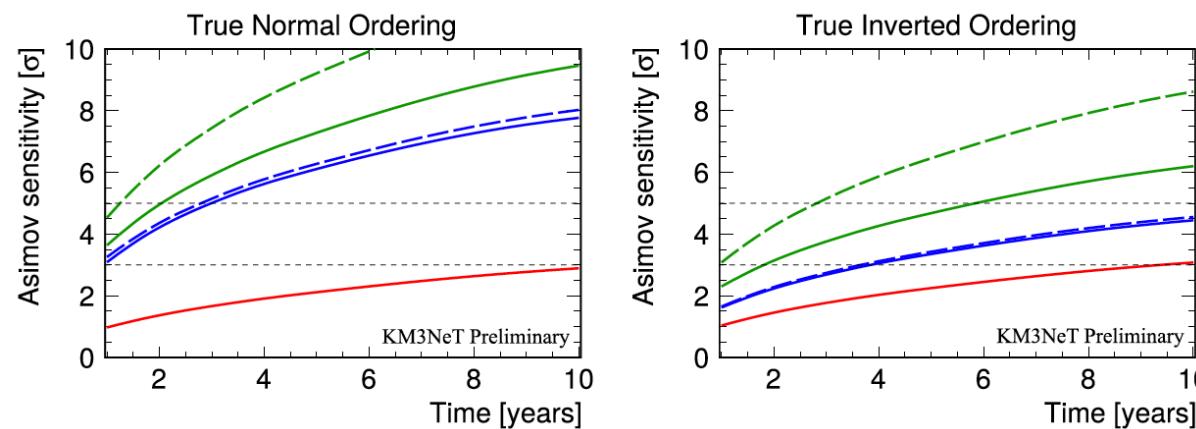
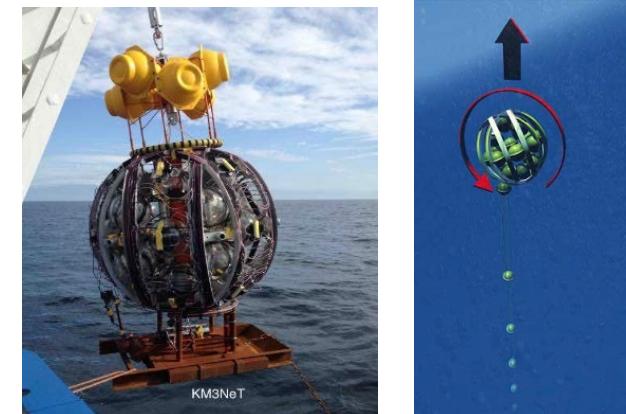




4. KM3NeT

Status

- 32 lines operation
- funded up to 130 lines for ARCA
- Physics analysis (oscillation, mass ordering, etc)
- point source, extended source, diffuse flux searches
- multi-messenger framework (GW, SN)



Red = JUNO only
 Blue = KM3NeT only
 Green = combined



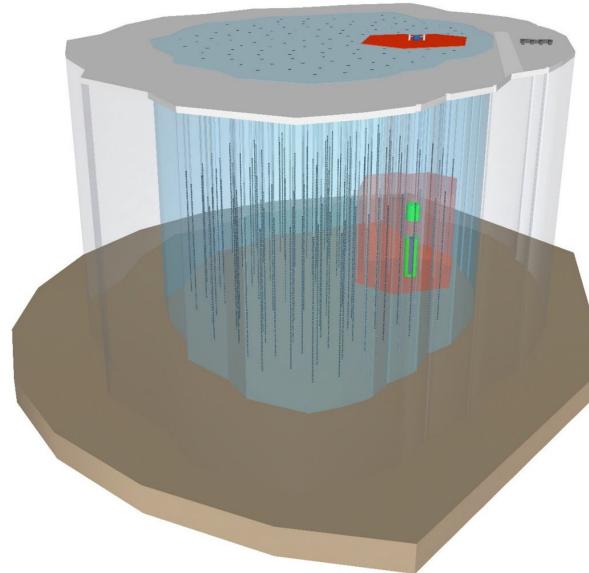


4. IceCube-Gen2

larger separation ($125\text{m} \rightarrow \sim 200\text{-}300\text{m}$) to cover larger volume (x8)

R&D is underway for ~2026 starts

- Gen2 optical
- Gen2 surface
- Gen2 radio

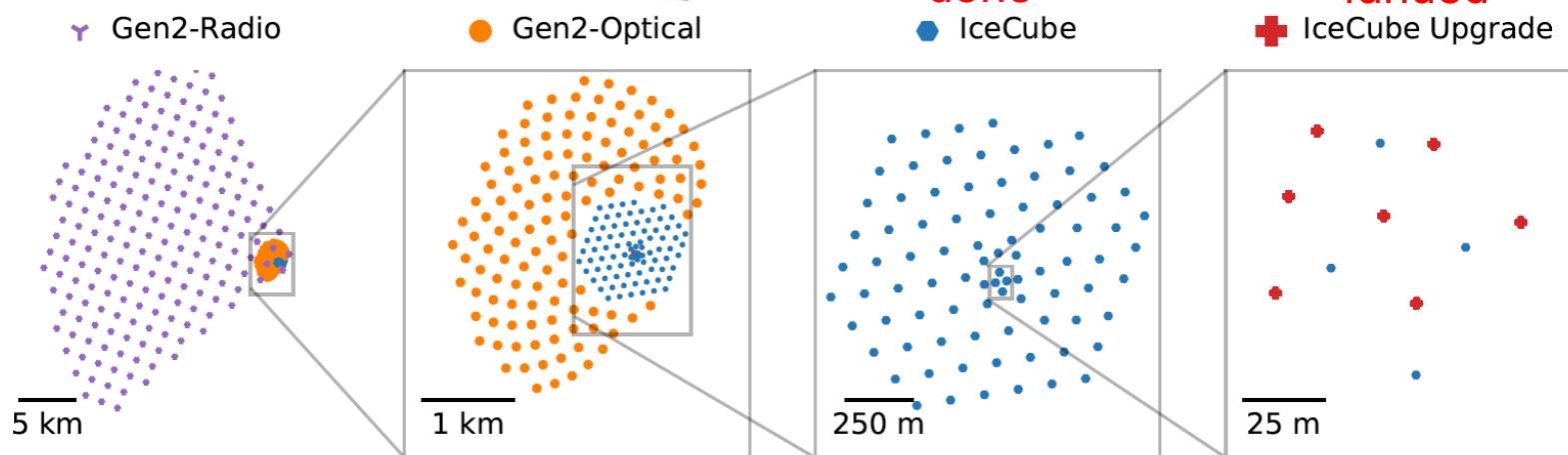


➤ Gen2-Radio

● Gen2-Optical

done
● IceCube

funded
+ IceCube Upgrade





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- direction sensitive
- KM3NeT, HyperK, etc



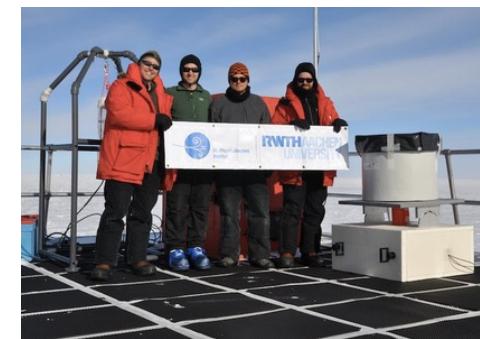
D-Eggs

- 8-inch high-QE PMTs
- cleaner glass window



Scintillator panels

- fibre reading
- cheap, easy deployment



IceACT

- air Cherenkov telescope
- larger coverage

Antenna

- radio from air shower
- cheap, high-energy



4. P-ONE

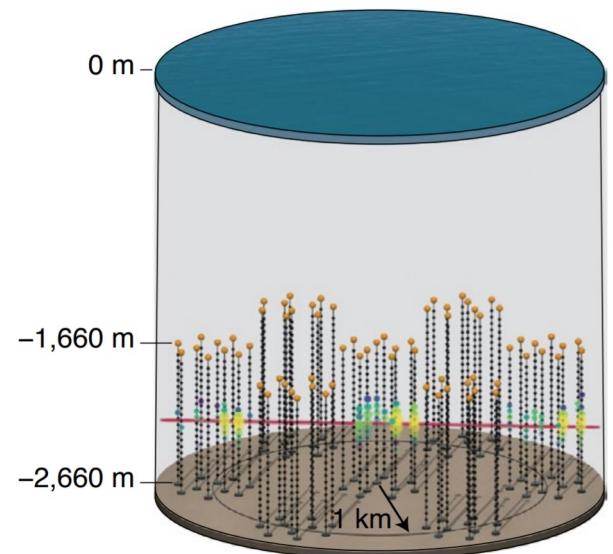


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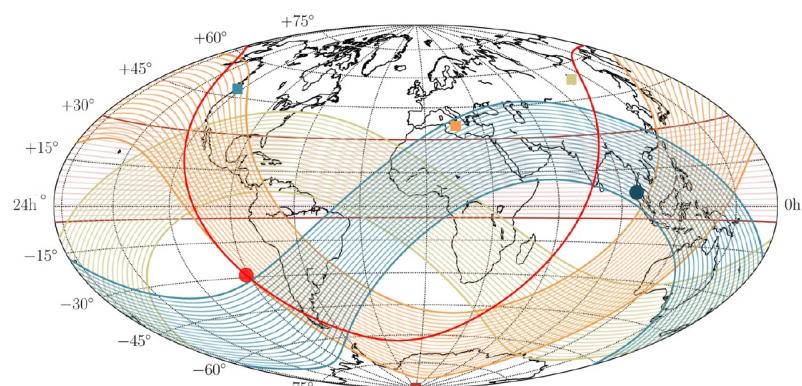
- Optimized for horizontal tracks, effective ~ IceCube
- **Reliable** underwater infrastructure & detector installation provided by Ocean Network Canada (Vancouver)
- Sensitive to galactic center

Status:

- 2018: first string in situ, **verified** water properties (STRAW)
- 2023: installation of 10 strings
- 2028: completion of detector



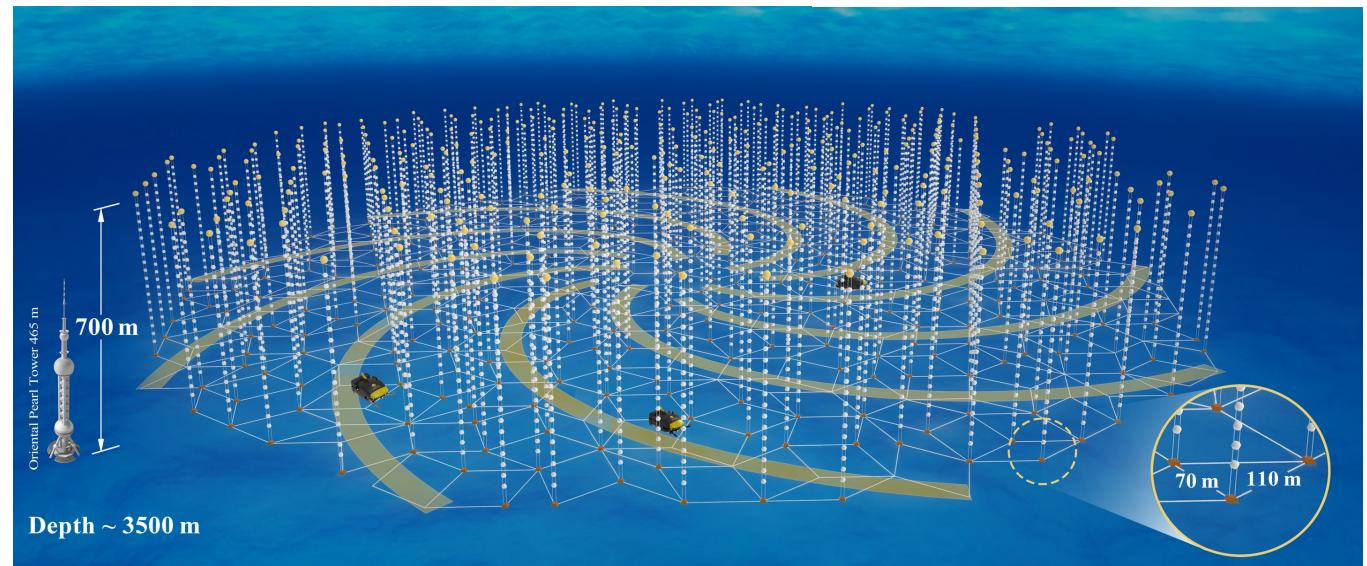
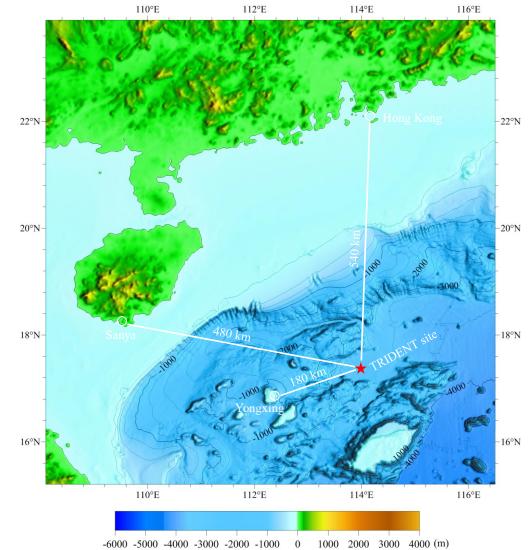
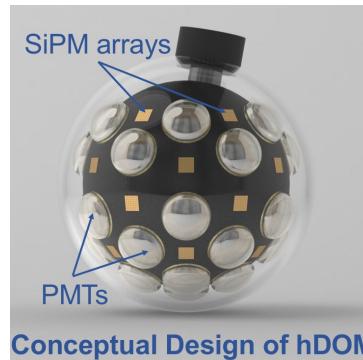
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South China sea neutrino telescope

- 180km from Yongxing island (永興島)
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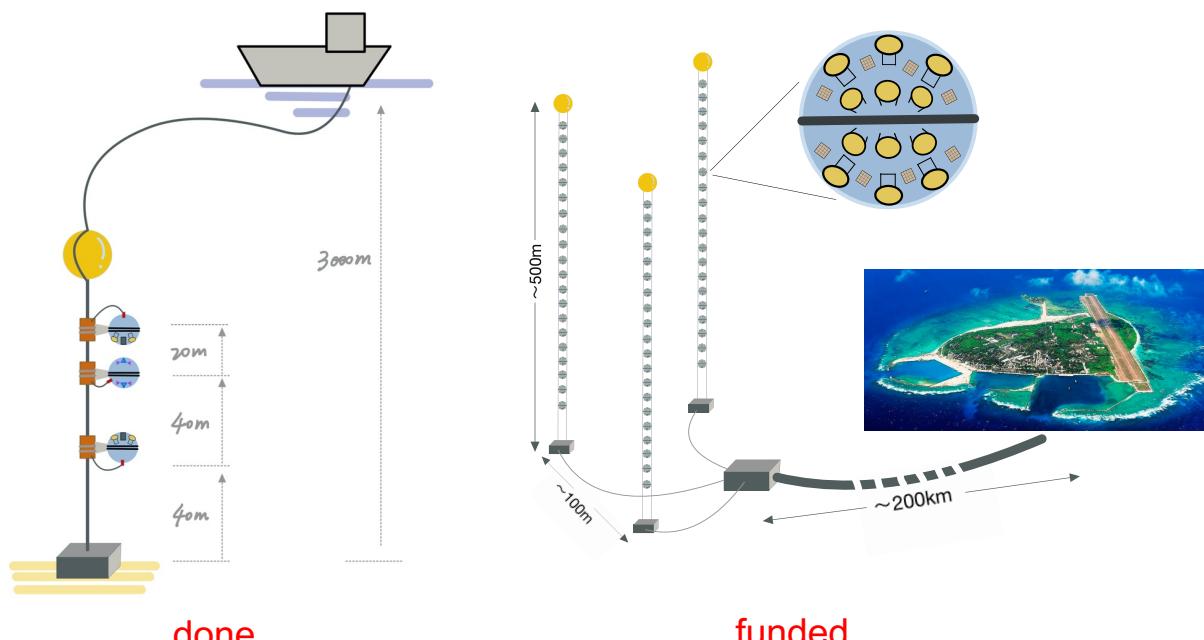
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Status

- Measurements including sea current, radioactive background, attenuation
- Mechanical model to study sea current
- hDOM study



Pathfinder: 2019–2021

海铃探路者

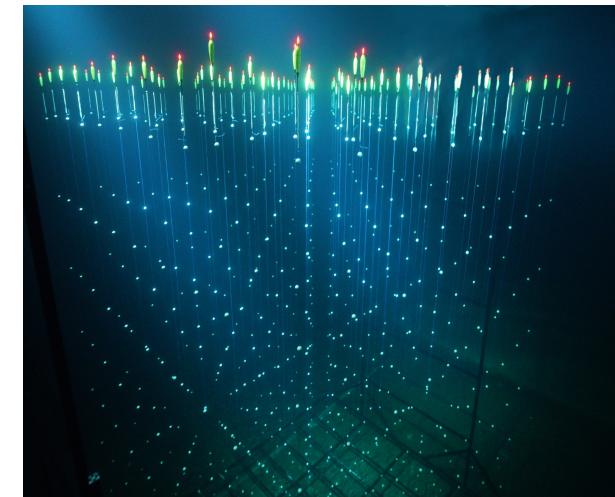
Pilot project: 2022–2025

海铃先导项目

Big array construction: 2026–

海铃大阵列

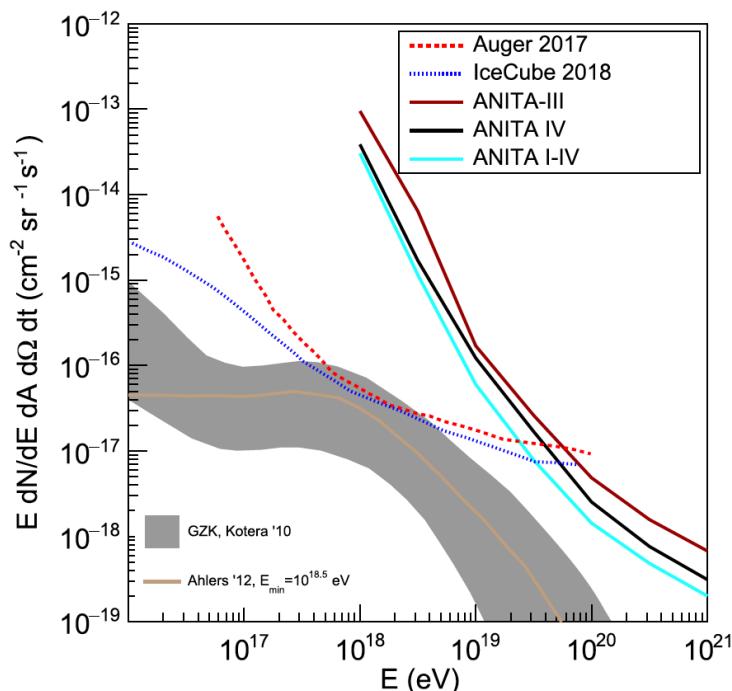
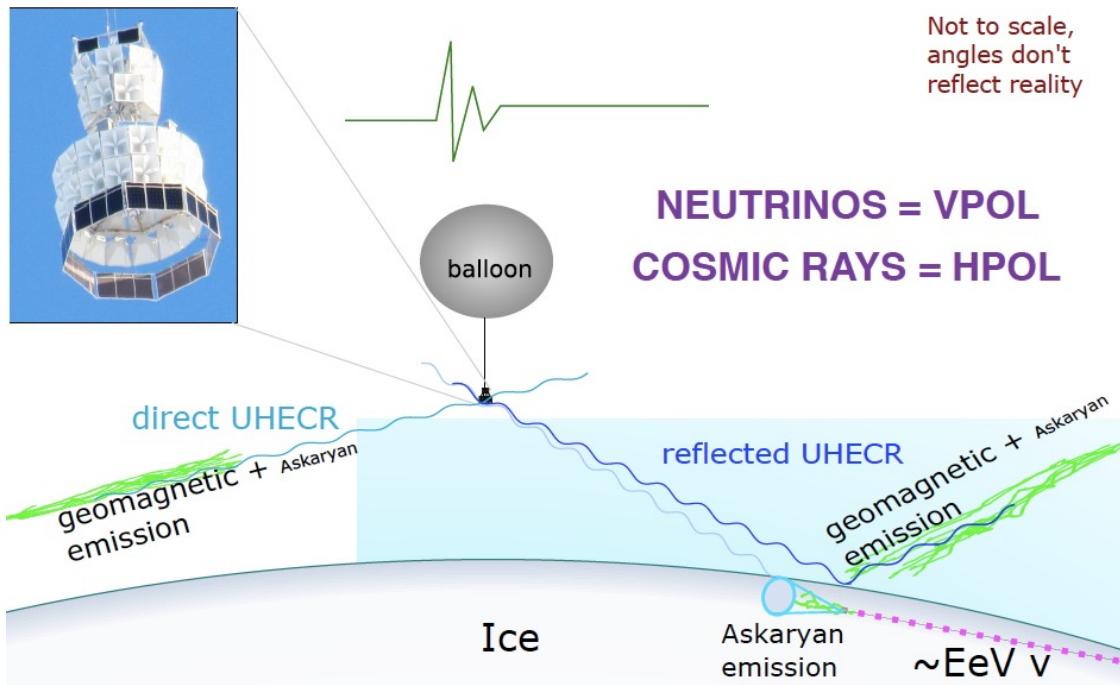
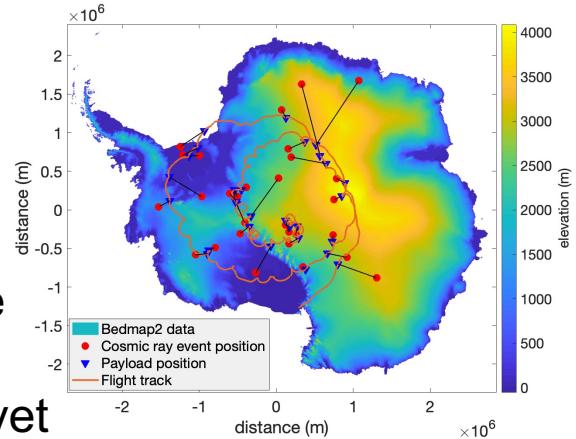
Mechanical model



4. ANITA/PUEO

ANtarctic Impulse Transient Antenna (ANITA)

- Askaryan effect, radio emission from E&M shower in ice
- effective to measure EeV range astrophysical neutrinos
- Cosmogenic neutrinos (EeV neutrinos) not discovered yet
- Several anomalous signals

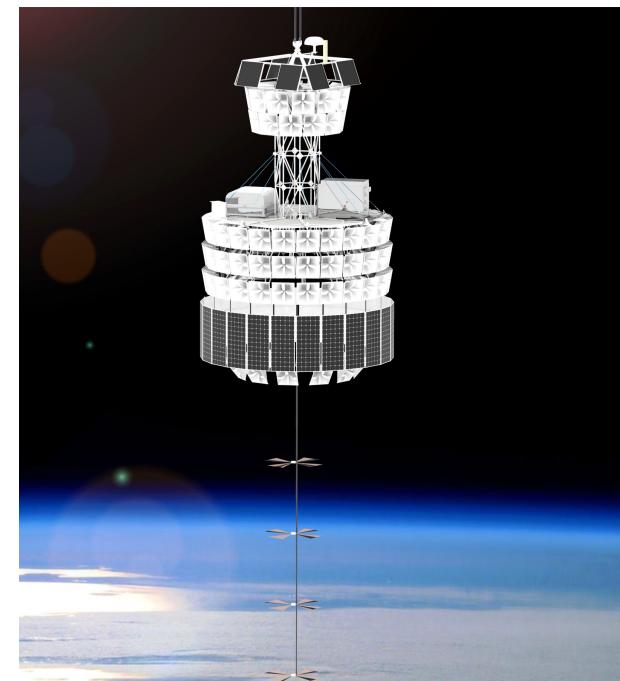
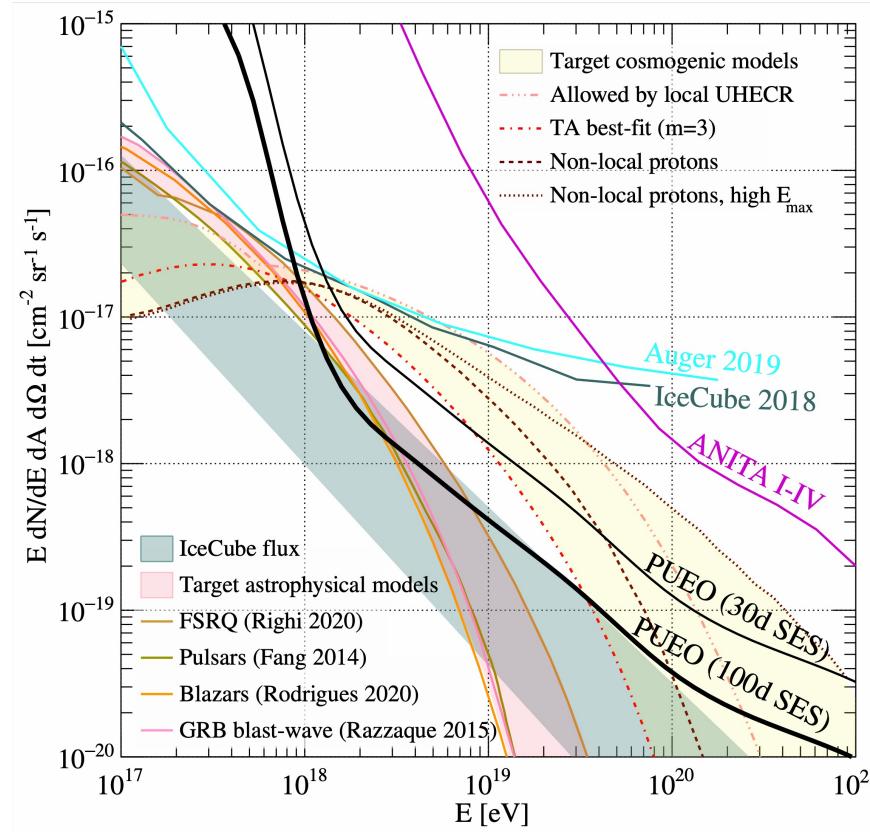


| $\log_{10}(E(\text{eV}))$ | 18 | 18.5 | 19 | 19.5 | 20 | 20.5 | 21 |
|-------------------------------------|--------|-------|------|------|----|------|-----|
| A ($\text{km}^2 \cdot \text{sr}$) | 0.0032 | 0.033 | 0.43 | 3.1 | 21 | 68 | 167 |

4. ANITA/PUEO

Payload for Ultrahigh Energy Observations (PUEO)

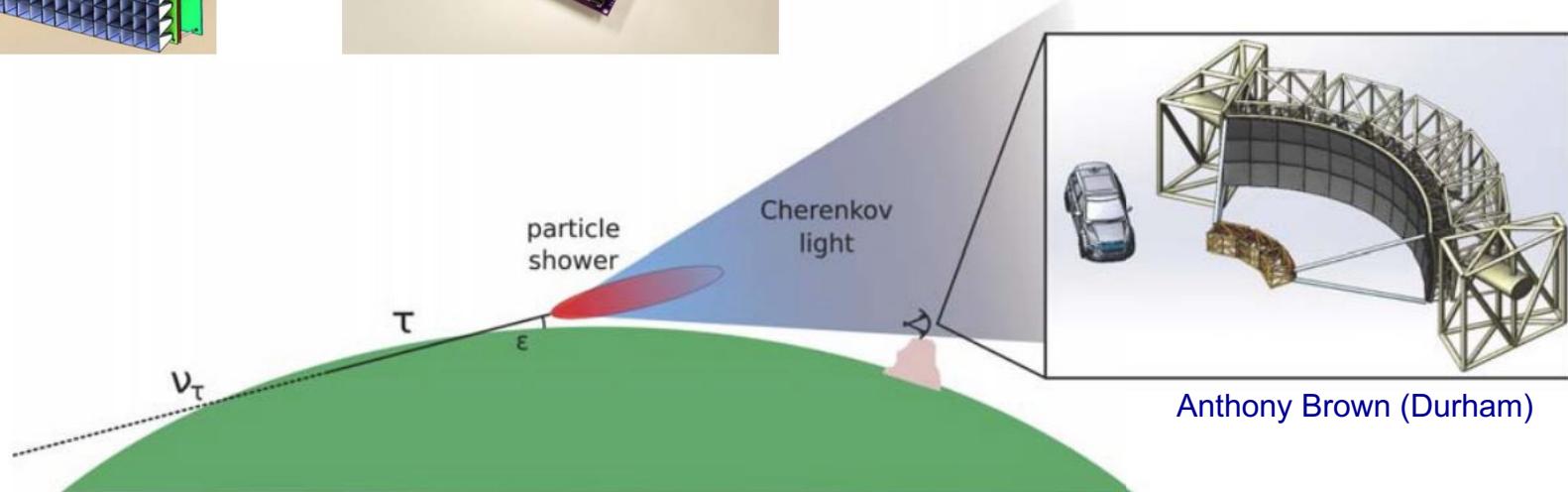
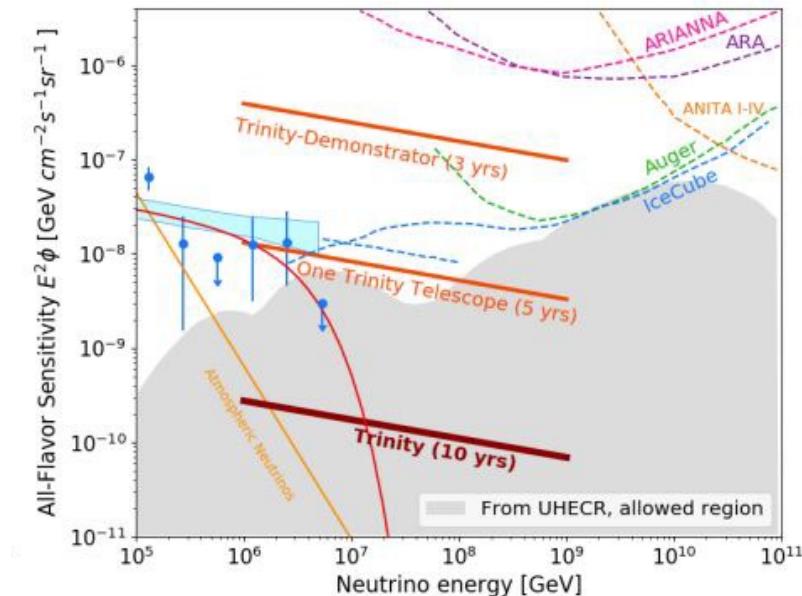
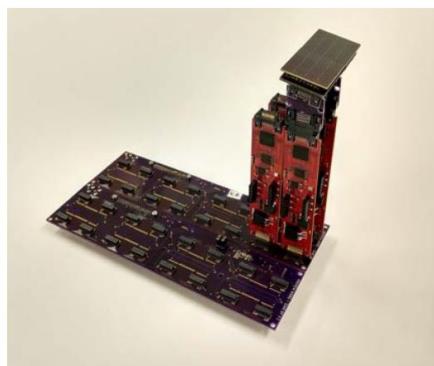
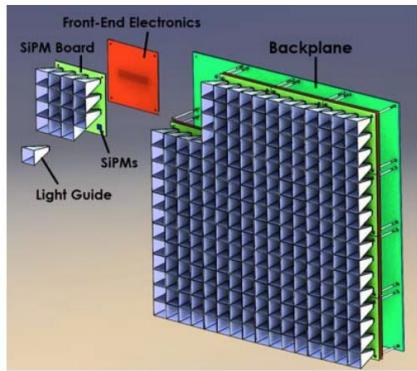
- Significant sensitivity improvement below 30 EeV
- Scheduled to fly in 2024



4. Trinity

Skimming tau induced air shower

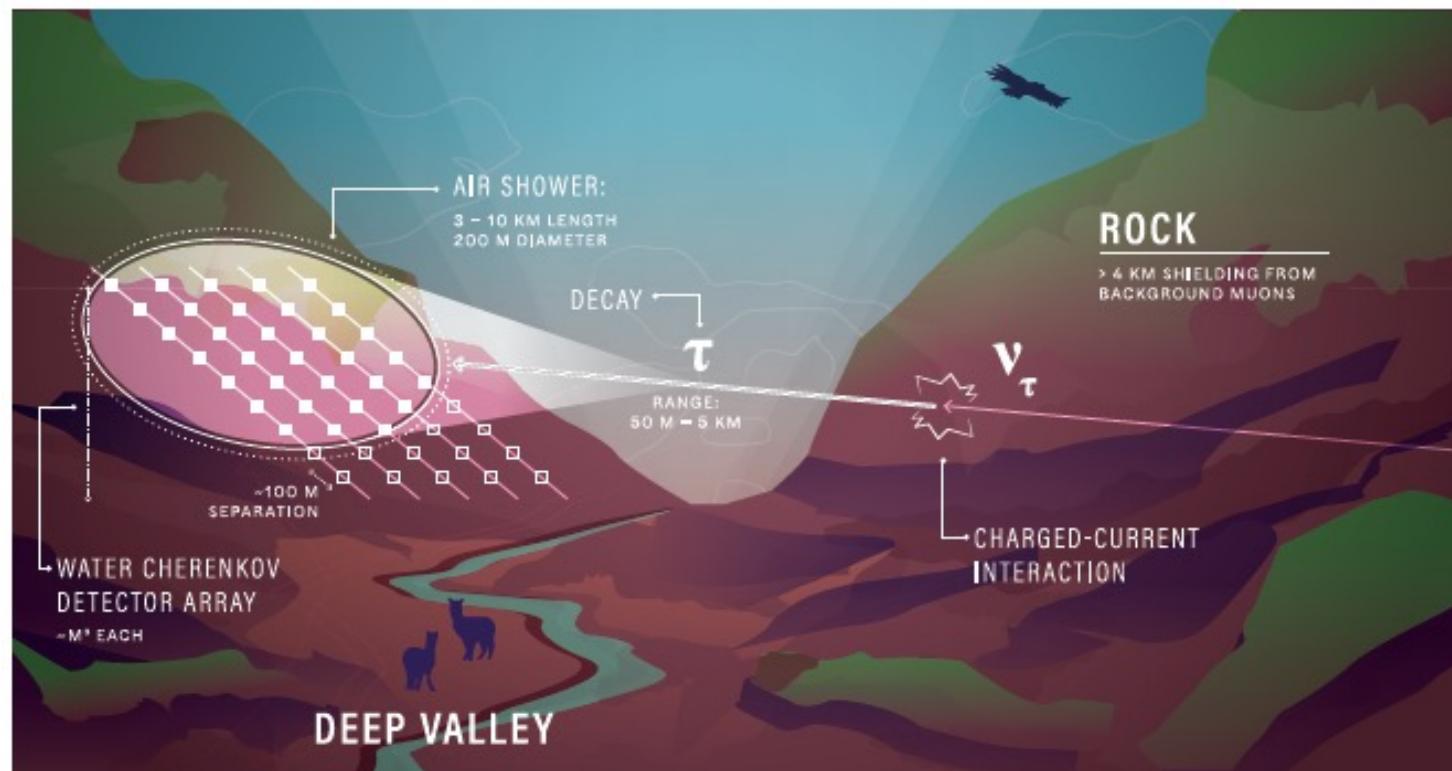
- SiPM Image Air-Cherenkov Telescope (IACT)
- 1 IACT covers $5^\circ \times 60^\circ$ FoV
- 5yr operation of 1 telescope can see 1 PeV neutrino!



4. TAMBO

Tau-Air-shower Mountain-Based Observatory (Peru)

- UHE tau induced air shower
- Water Cherenkov detector array
- Relatively low energy threshold ($\sim 1\text{PeV}$)



TAU AIR-SHOWER MOUNTAIN-BASED OBSERVATORY (TAMBO) • COLCA VALLEY, PERU

4. High-Energy Astrophysical Neutrinos

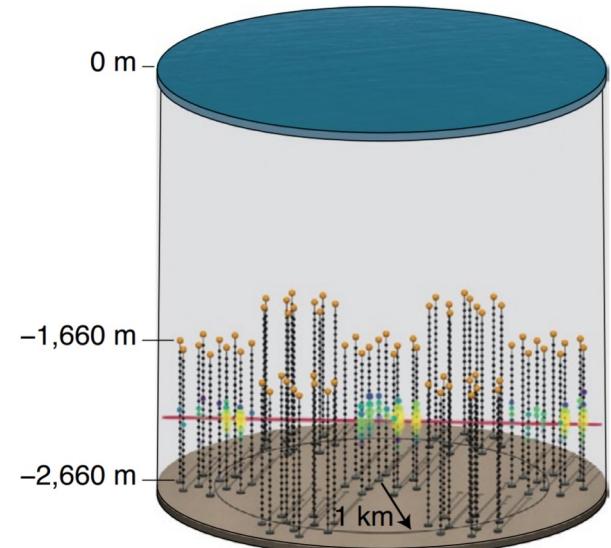
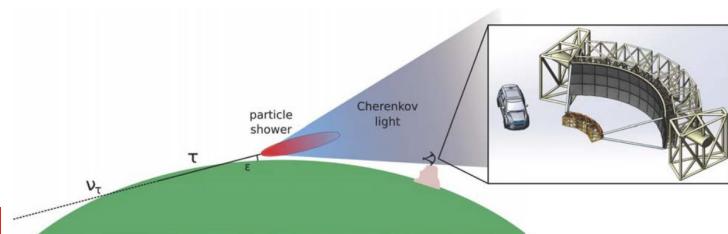
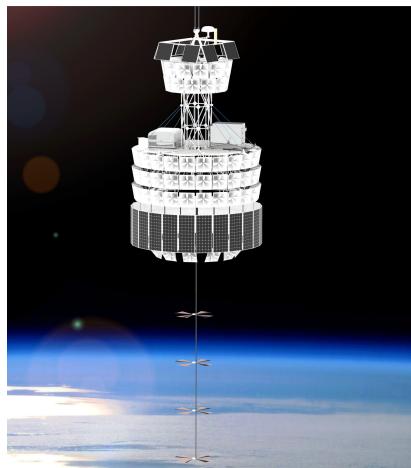
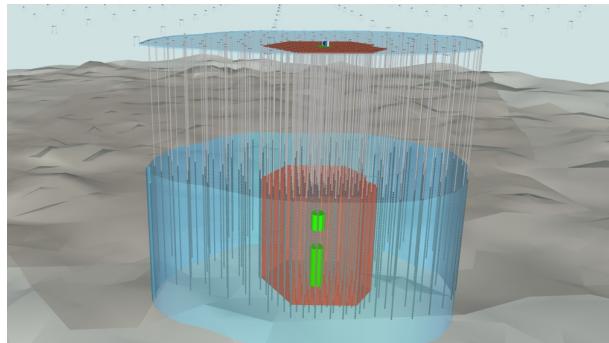
Many planned experiments targeting PeV-EeV neutrinos

| Energy Range | Experiment | Technology | Detected Flavor | Ref. |
|---------------------|----------------------|------------------------|---------------------------------|------------|
| $\lesssim 10^3$ GeV | JUNO | Liquid scintillator | All Flavors | [234] |
| $\lesssim 10^3$ GeV | DUNE | LArTPC | All Flavors | [671] |
| $\lesssim 10^3$ GeV | THEIA | WbLS | All Flavors | [486] |
| $\lesssim 10^3$ GeV | Super-Kamiokande | Gd-loaded Water C | All Flavors | [645] |
| $\lesssim 10^4$ GeV | Hyper-Kamiokande | Water Cherenkov | All Flavors | [483] |
| $\lesssim 10^5$ GeV | ANTARES | Sea-Water Cherenkov | $\nu_\mu, \bar{\nu}_\mu$ (CC) | [672] |
| $\lesssim 10^6$ GeV | IceCube/IceCube-Gen2 | Ice Cherenkov | All Flavors | [433, 673] |
| $\lesssim 10^6$ GeV | KM3NeT | Sea-Water Cherenkov | All Flavors | [674] |
| $\lesssim 10^6$ GeV | Baikal-GVD | Lake-Water Cherenkov | All Flavors | [675] |
| $\lesssim 10^6$ GeV | P-ONE | Sea-Water Cherenkov | All Flavors | [676] |
| 1 – 100 PeV | TAMBO | Earth-skimming WC | $\nu_\tau, \bar{\nu}_\tau$ (CC) | [677] |
| $\gtrsim 1$ PeV | Trinity | Earth-skimming Image | $\nu_\tau, \bar{\nu}_\tau$ (CC) | [678] |
| $\gtrsim 10$ PeV | RET-N | Radar echo | All Flavors | [679] |
| $\gtrsim 10$ PeV | IceCube-Gen2 | In-ice Radio | All Flavors | [433] |
| $\gtrsim 10$ PeV | ARIANNA-200 | On-ice Radio | All Flavors | [680] |
| $\gtrsim 20$ PeV | POEMMA | Space Air-shower Image | $\nu_\tau, \bar{\nu}_\tau$ (CC) | [681] |
| $\gtrsim 100$ PeV | RNO-G | In-ice Radio | All Flavors | [682] |
| $\gtrsim 100$ PeV | ANITA/PUEO | Balloon Radio | All Flavors | [683, 684] |
| $\gtrsim 100$ PeV | Auger/GCOS | Earth-skimming WC | $\nu_\tau, \bar{\nu}_\tau$ (CC) | [685, 686] |
| $\gtrsim 100$ PeV | Beacon | Earth-skimming Radio | $\nu_\tau, \bar{\nu}_\tau$ (CC) | [687] |
| $\gtrsim 100$ PeV | GRAND | Earth-skimming Radio | $\nu_\tau, \bar{\nu}_\tau$ (CC) | [688] |

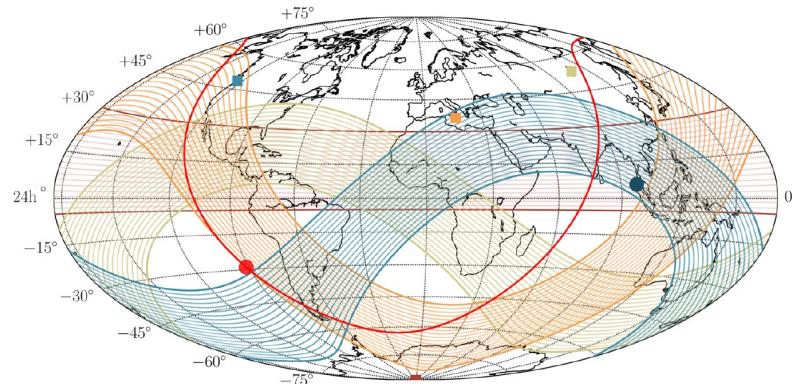
4. UK-High-energy astrophysical neutrino (UK-HEAN) consortium

PAAP roadmap plan

- UK groups participate many HEAN projects.
- We are in the process to form a group beyond each collaboration.
- We will make a realistic plan for future
- Everyone is welcome!



■ IceCube
■ KM3NeT, Sicily
■ GVD, Russia
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● Galactic center/plane
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Conclusion

Neutrino telescopes are successful experiments

High-energy astrophysical neutrinos offer very exciting science for both particle physics and astrophysics

There are many planned projects with discovery potentials

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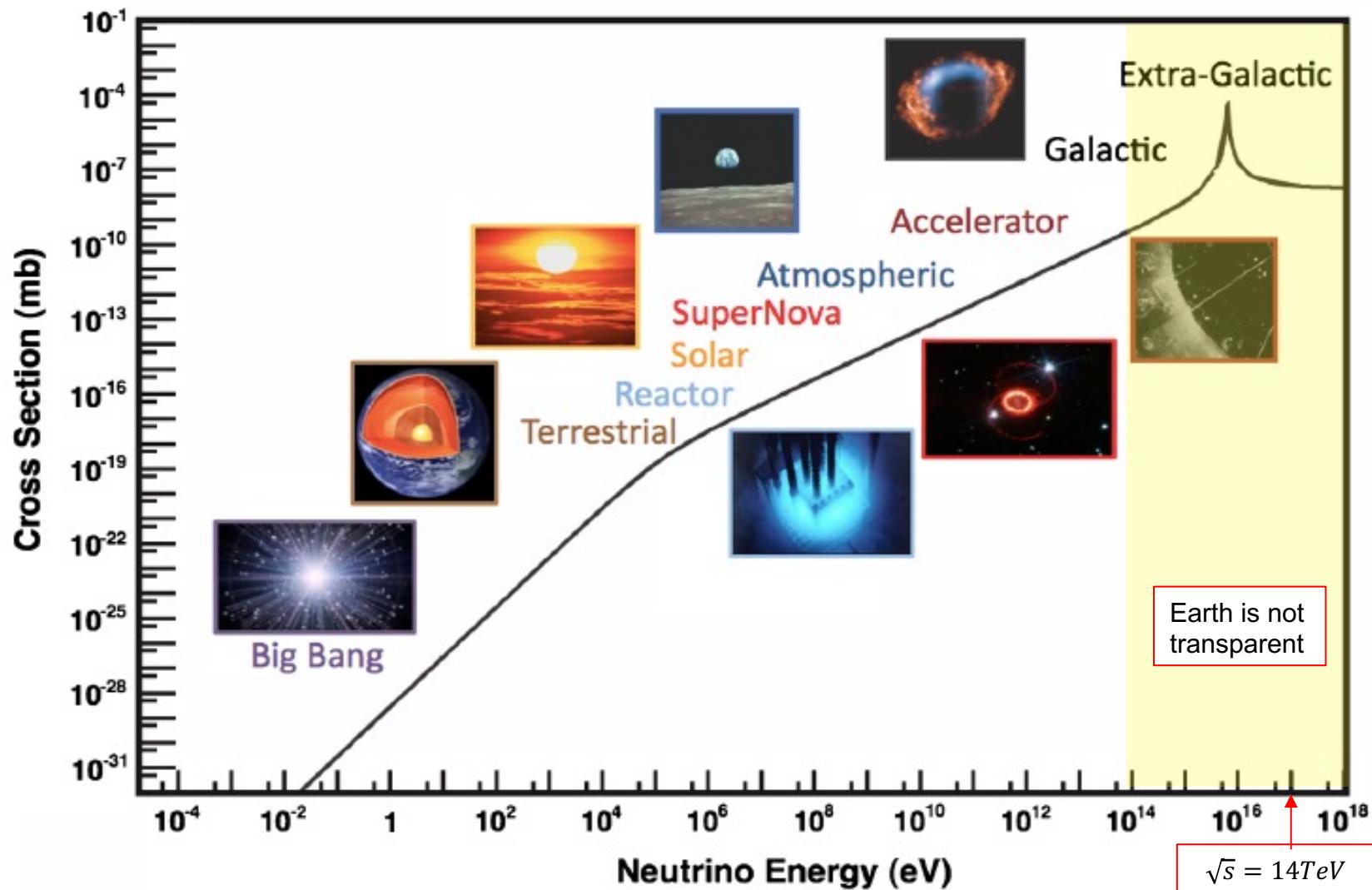


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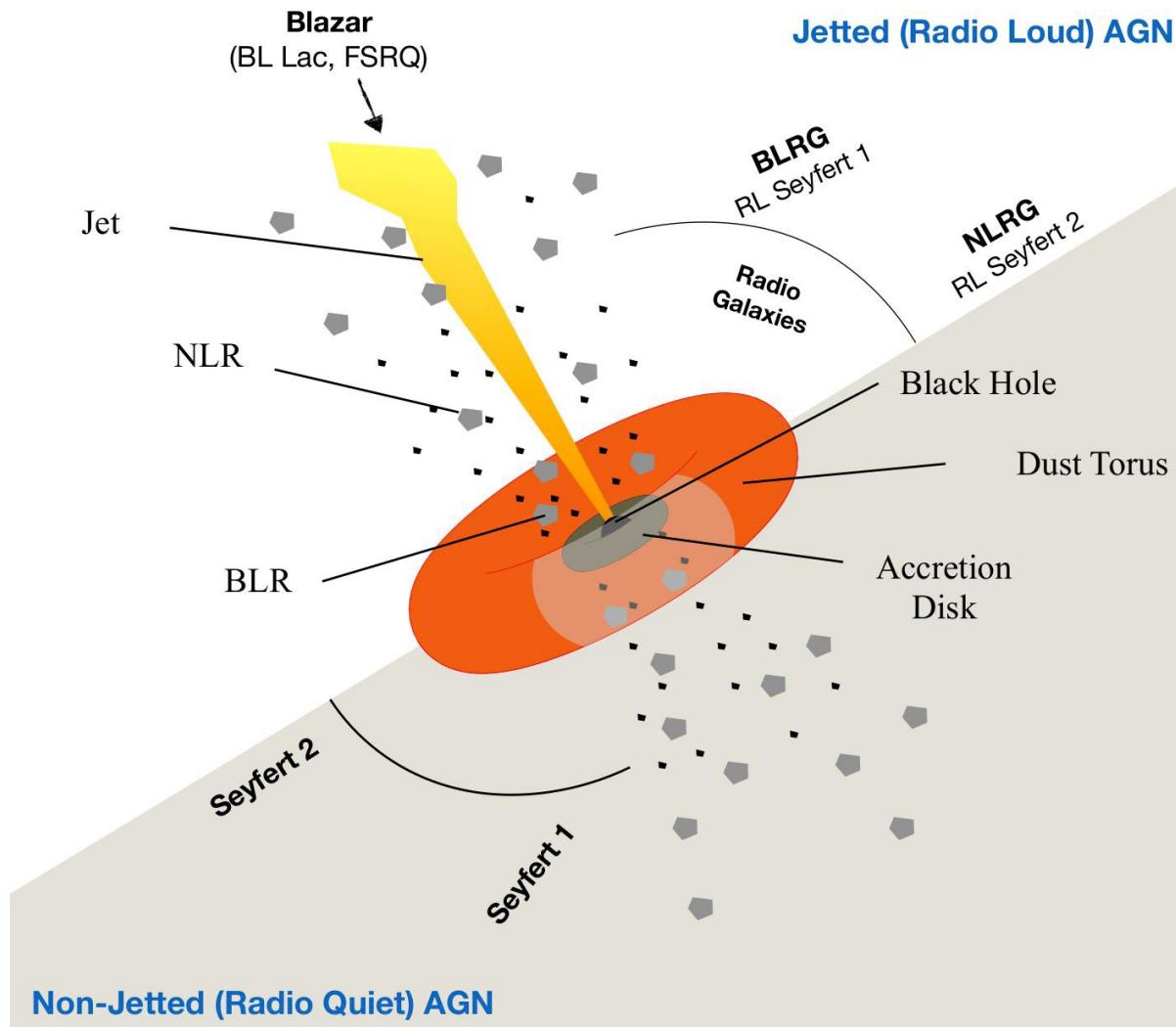


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Above $\sim 10\text{-}100 \text{ TeV}$ neutrinos are only direct messengers

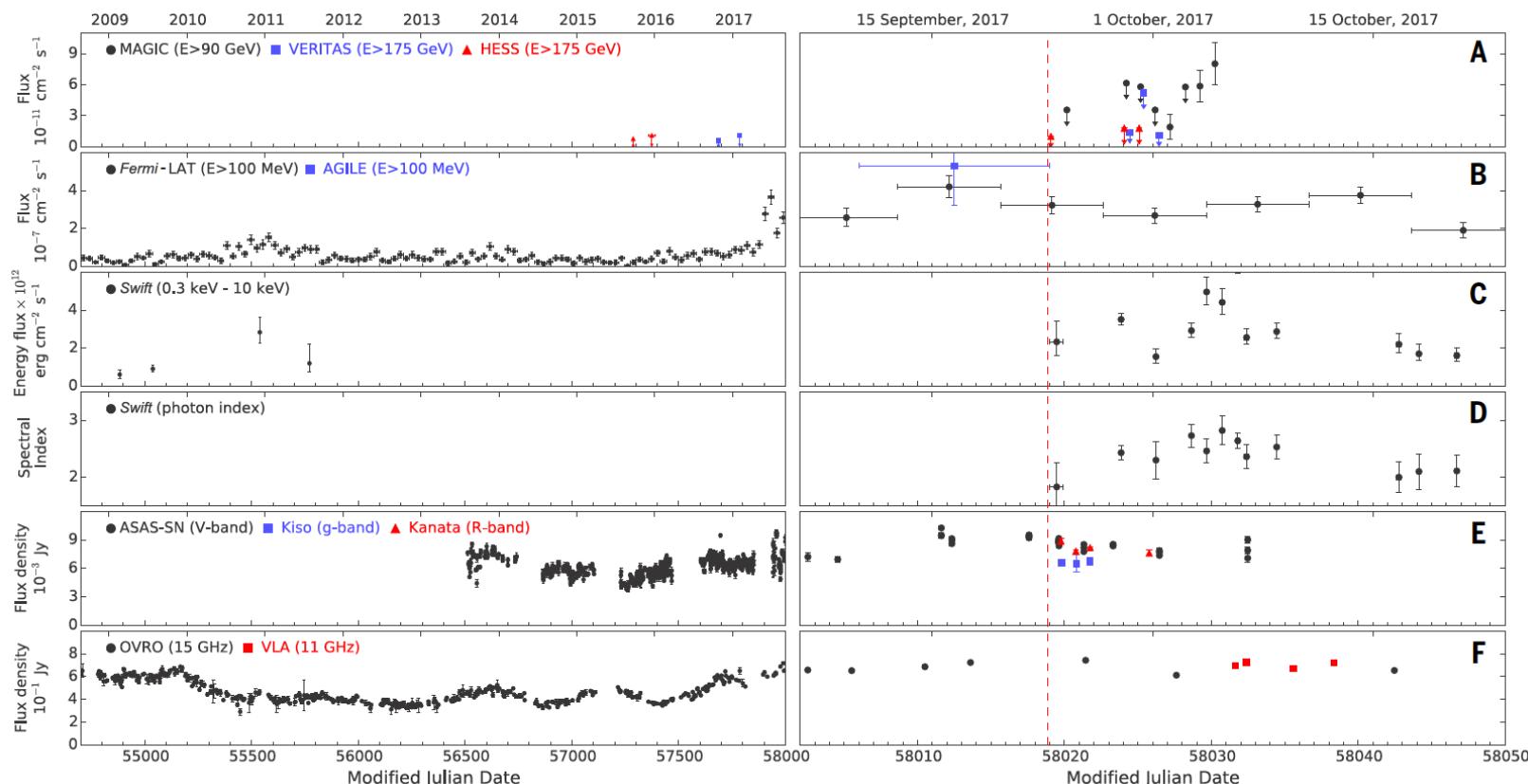
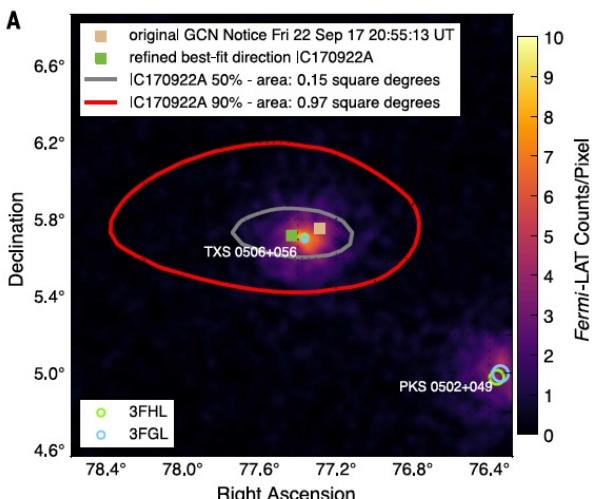
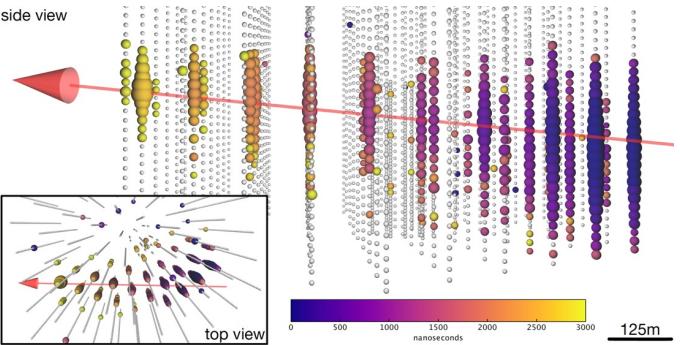


2. Active Galactic Nuclei (AGNs)



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290 TeV



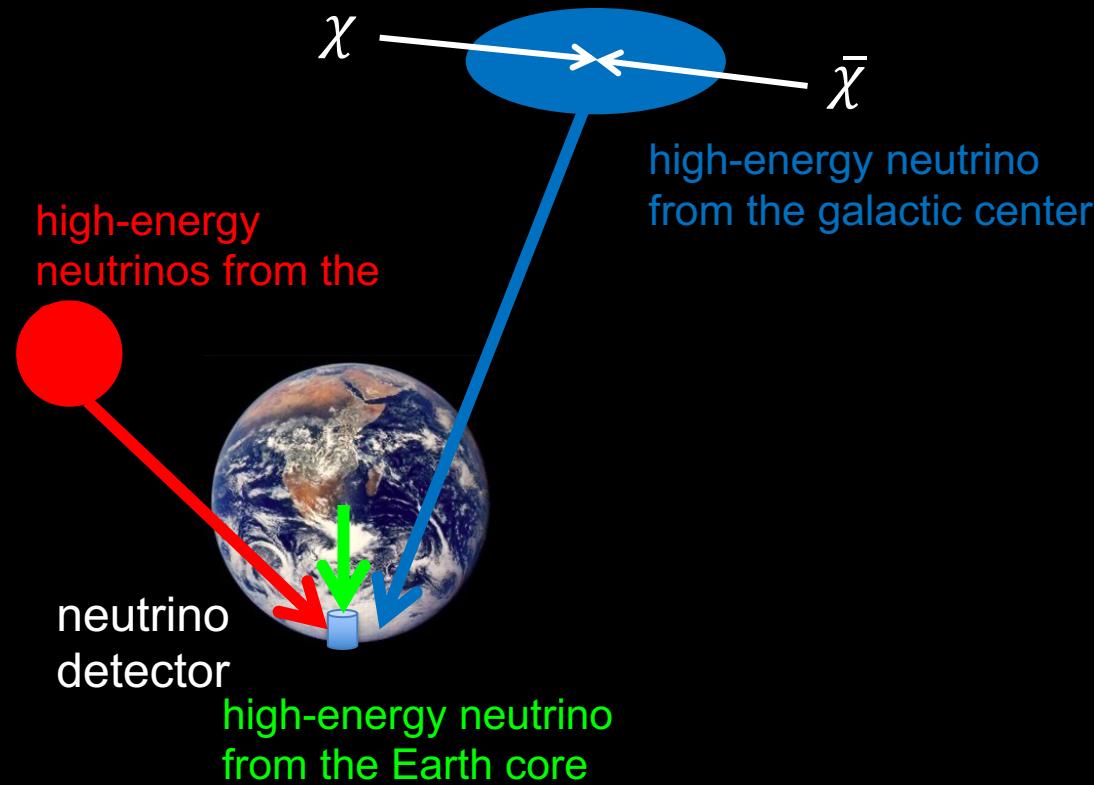
3. Dark matter annihilation neutrinos

Neutrinos from Earth, Sun, Milky Way center

- Signal of dark matter annihilation to neutrino emission



- No excess for neutrinos



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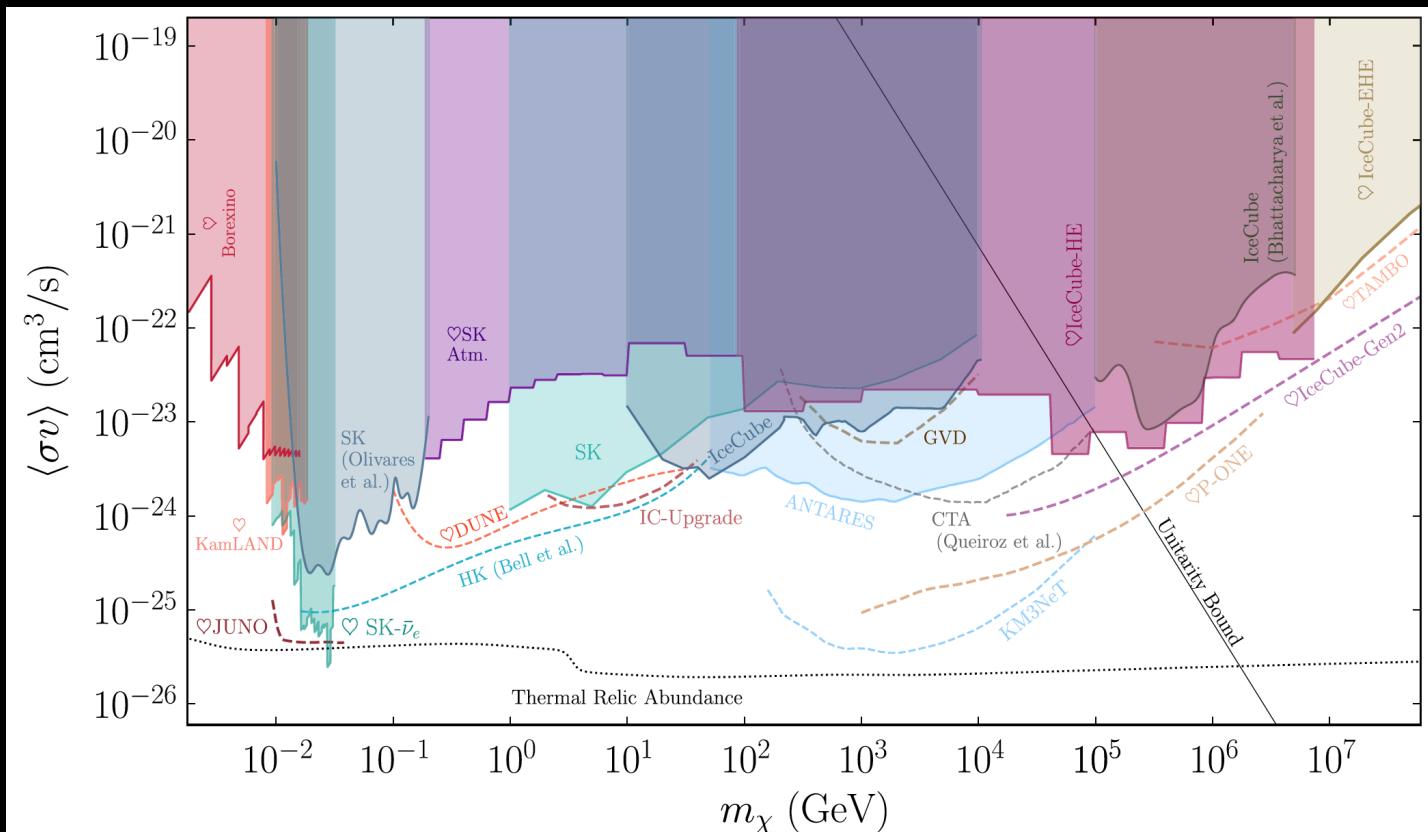
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$$\chi + \bar{\chi} \rightarrow \nu + \bar{\nu}$$

8 order of dark matter limits by neutrino telescope

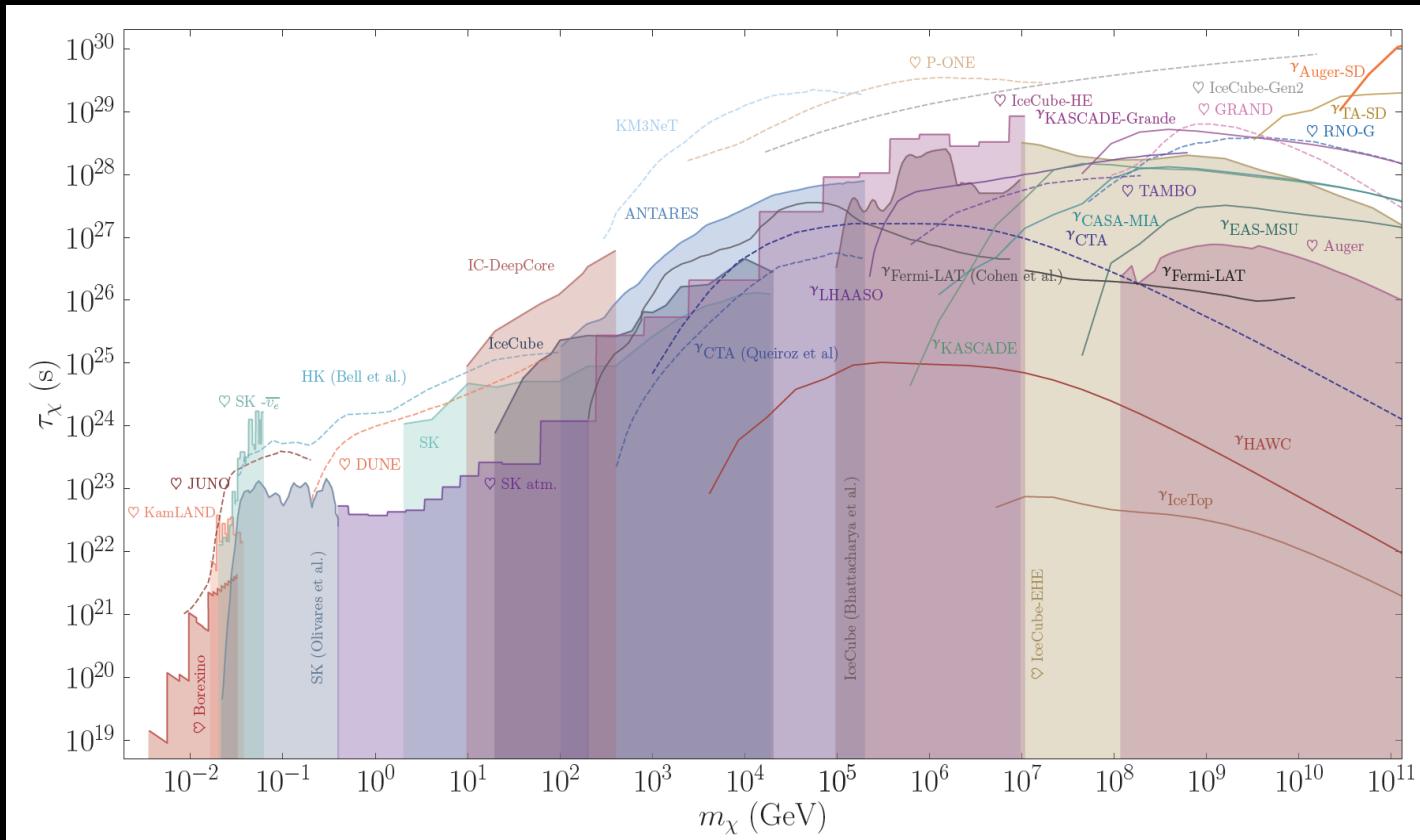
- Sensitivity decreases for heavier dark matter particles
- Next generation neutrino telescopes can reach to the thermal relic DM limits



3. Dark matter decay neutrinos

Dark matter decay to neutrinos

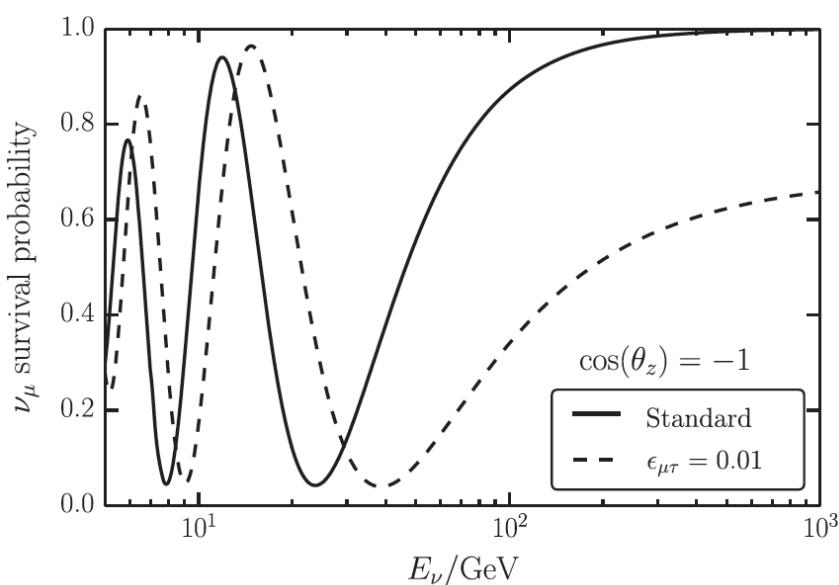
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3. Non-standard interactions

Atmospheric neutrinos cover \sim 100MeV - 20 TeV (conventional) coming from all direction (diffuse). However, direction is related to the propagation distance.

→ They are the highest energy particles (\sim 20 TeV) with the longest baseline (12700km) propagating the high-density material (\sim 13g/cm³) on Earth.



$$h_{eff} \sim \frac{1}{2E} M^2 + V_{CC}, \quad P_{\alpha\beta} = |\langle \nu_\alpha | U(h_{eff}, t) | \nu_\beta \rangle|^2$$

$$M^2 = \begin{pmatrix} m_{ee}^2 & m_{e\mu}^2 & m_{\tau e}^2 \\ (m_{e\mu}^2)^* & m_{\mu\mu}^2 & m_{\mu\tau}^2 \\ (m_{\tau e}^2)^* & (m_{\mu\tau}^2)^* & m_{\tau\tau}^2 \end{pmatrix}, V_{CC} = \begin{pmatrix} \sqrt{2} G_F n_e & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

Non-standard interaction limits in IceCube is order $\sim 10^{-25}$ GeV

cf) The highest precision hydrogen 1S-2S transition (PRL107(2011)203001)
 Fractional frequency uncertainty $\sim 4 \times 10^{-15}$ → new physics sensitivity $\sim 10^{-23}$ GeV

3. Flavor new physics search with effective operators

Standard Model Extension (SME) is an effective field theory to look for Lorentz violation

The diagram shows the Lagrangian L split into two parts by a vertical dashed line. The left part, under a blue box labeled "Standard Model", is $i\bar{\psi}\gamma^\mu \partial_\mu \psi - m\bar{\psi}\psi$. The right part, under a green box labeled "New physics", is $\bar{\psi}\gamma^\mu a_\mu \psi + \bar{\psi}\gamma^\mu c_{\mu\nu} \partial^\nu \psi \dots$.

$$L = i\bar{\psi}\gamma^\mu \partial_\mu \psi - m\bar{\psi}\psi + \bar{\psi}\gamma^\mu a_\mu \psi + \bar{\psi}\gamma^\mu c_{\mu\nu} \partial^\nu \psi \dots$$

Effective Hamiltonian can be written from here

The diagram shows the Effective Hamiltonian h_{eff} split into three parts by a vertical dashed line. The first part, under a blue box labeled "Standard Model", is $\frac{1}{2E}U^\dagger M^2 U$. The second part, under a green box labeled "New physics (renormalizable)", is $a_{\alpha\beta}^{(3)} - Ec_{\alpha\beta}^{(4)}$. The third part, under a red box labeled "higher dimension operator (non-renormalizable)", is $E^2 a_{\alpha\beta}^{(5)} - E^3 c_{\alpha\beta}^{(6)} \dots$.

$$h_{eff} \sim \frac{1}{2E} U^\dagger M^2 U + a_{\alpha\beta}^{(3)} - Ec_{\alpha\beta}^{(4)} + E^2 a_{\alpha\beta}^{(5)} - E^3 c_{\alpha\beta}^{(6)} \dots$$

Astrophysical neutrino flavour sensitivity of dim-6 operator

goes beyond the natural scale $c^{(6)} \sim \frac{1}{M_{Planck}^2} \sim 10^{-38} GeV^{-2}$,

first time in any known scientific system

3. Flavor new physics search with effective operators

Neutrino oscillation formula is written with mixing matrix elements and eigenvalues

$$P_{\alpha \rightarrow \beta}(E, L) = 1 - 4 \sum_{i>j} \operatorname{Re}(V_{\alpha i}^* V_{\beta i}^* V_{\alpha j} V_{\beta j}) \sin^2 \left(\frac{\lambda_i - \lambda_j}{2} L \right) + 2 \sum_{i>j} \operatorname{Im}(V_{\alpha i}^* V_{\beta i}^* V_{\alpha j} V_{\beta j}) \sin((\lambda_i - \lambda_j)L)$$

However, astrophysical neutrinos propagate O(100Mpc) → lost coherence

$$P_{\alpha \rightarrow \beta}(E, \infty) \sim 1 - 2 \sum_{i>j} \operatorname{Re}(V_{\alpha i}^* V_{\beta i}^* V_{\alpha j} V_{\beta j}) = \sum_i |V_{\alpha i}|^2 |V_{\beta i}|^2$$

Astrophysical neutrino flux of flavour α at production is $\phi_\alpha^p(E) \sim \phi_\alpha^P \cdot E^{-\gamma}$. Since it's low statistics, we consider energy-averaged flavour composition β on Earth

$$\bar{\phi}_\beta^\oplus = \frac{1}{\Delta E} \int_{\Delta E} \sum_\alpha P_{\alpha \rightarrow \beta}(E, \infty) \phi_\alpha^p(E) dE$$

We take the fraction of this for each flavour.

$$f_\beta^\oplus = \frac{\bar{\phi}_\beta^\oplus}{\sum_{e,\mu,\tau} \bar{\phi}_\gamma^\oplus}$$

3. HESE 7.5-yr Flavor new physics search

Data, 2635 days HESE sample [IceCube, ArXiv: 2011.03545](#)

- 17 track events, 20 log(E) bins [60 TeV, 10 PeV], 10 cosθ bins [-1.0, +1.0]
- 41 cascade events, 20 log(E) bins [60 TeV, 10 PeV], 10 cosθ bins [-1.0, +1.0]
- 2 double cascades, 20 log(E) bins [60 TeV, 10 PeV], 10 log(L) bins [10m, 100m]

Simulation

[Bhattacharya et al., JHEP06\(2015\)110](#)

- Foregrounds, conventional (Honda flux), prompt (BERSS model), muon (CORSIKA)
- Astrophysical neutrinos, simple power law
- Interaction, NLO PDF DIS (CSMS model) [Cooper-Sarkar et al., JHEP08\(2011\)042](#)

Systematics (15 nuisance parameters)

- oscillation parameters (6)
- normalization of flux : conventional (40%), prompt (free), muon (50%), astrophysical (free)
- spectrum index : primary cosmic ray (5%) astrophysical neutrinos (free)
- Ice model : (20%)
- DOM efficiency : overall (10%), angular dependence (50%)

Limits

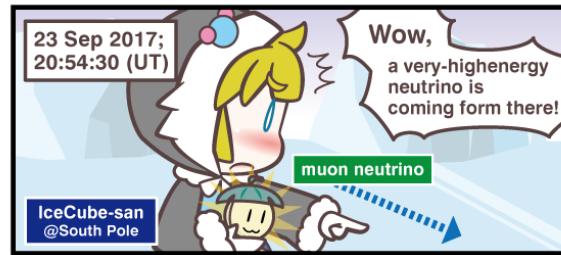
[Feroz et al., Mon. Not. Roy. Astron. Soc. 398,1601\(2009\)1601](#)

- Bayesian: MCMC with Multinest, Bayes factor with Jefferey' scale “strong” limit
- Frequentist: Wilks’ theorem

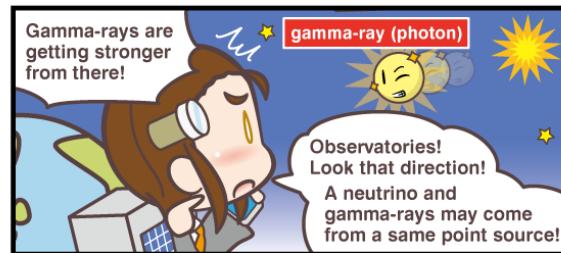
3. Systematic errors

| Parameter | Prior (constraint) | Range | Description |
|--|--------------------|---------------------|---|
| Astrophysical neutrino flux: | | | |
| Φ_{astro} | - | $[0, \infty)$ | Normalization scale |
| γ_{astro} | - | $(-\infty, \infty)$ | Spectral index |
| Atmospheric neutrino flux: | | | |
| Φ_{conv} | 1.0 ± 0.4 | $[0, \infty)$ | Conventional normalization scale |
| Φ_{prompt} | - | $[0, \infty)$ | Prompt normalization scale |
| $R_{K/\pi}$ | 1.0 ± 0.1 | $[0, \infty)$ | Kaon-Pion ratio correction |
| $2\nu / (\nu + \bar{\nu})_{\text{atmo}}$ | 1.0 ± 0.1 | $[0, 2]$ | Neutrino-anti-neutrino ratio correction |
| Cosmic-ray flux: | | | |
| $\Delta\gamma_{\text{CR}}$ | 0.0 ± 0.05 | $(-\infty, \infty)$ | Cosmic-ray spectral index modification |
| Φ_{μ} | 1.0 ± 0.5 | $[0, \infty)$ | Muon normalization scale |
| Detector: | | | |
| ϵ_{DOM} | 0.99 ± 0.1 | $[0.80, 1.25]$ | Absolute energy scale |
| $\epsilon_{\text{head-on}}$ | 0.0 ± 0.5 | $[-3.82, 2.18]$ | DOM angular response |
| a_s | 1.0 ± 0.2 | $[0.0, 2.0]$ | Ice anisotropy scale |

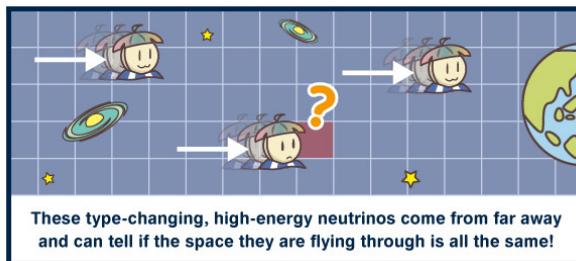
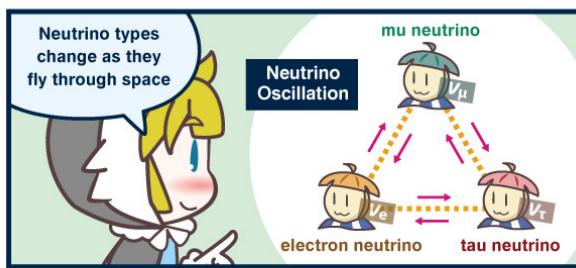
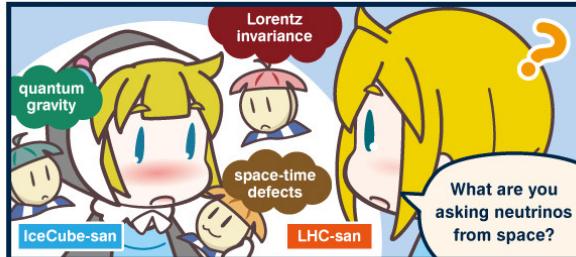
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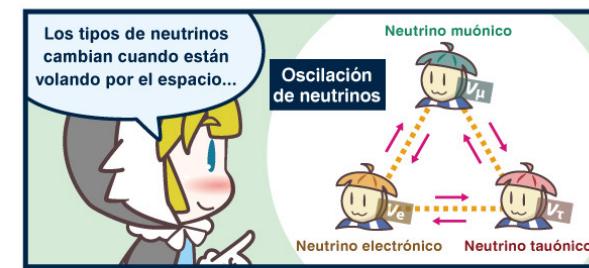
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Exploring Space-Time with Neutrinos



Explorar el espacio-tiempo con los neutrinos



ニュートリノで調べる時空の性質

